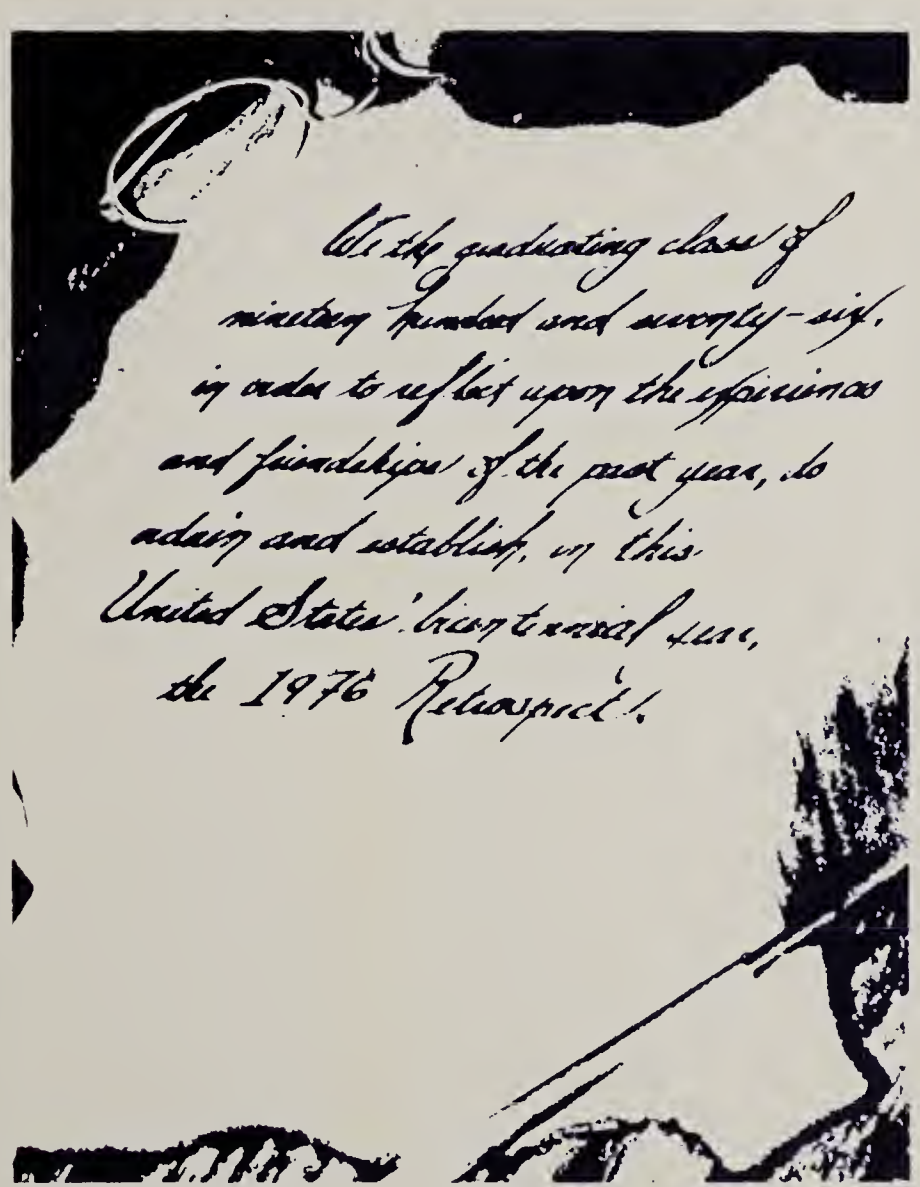
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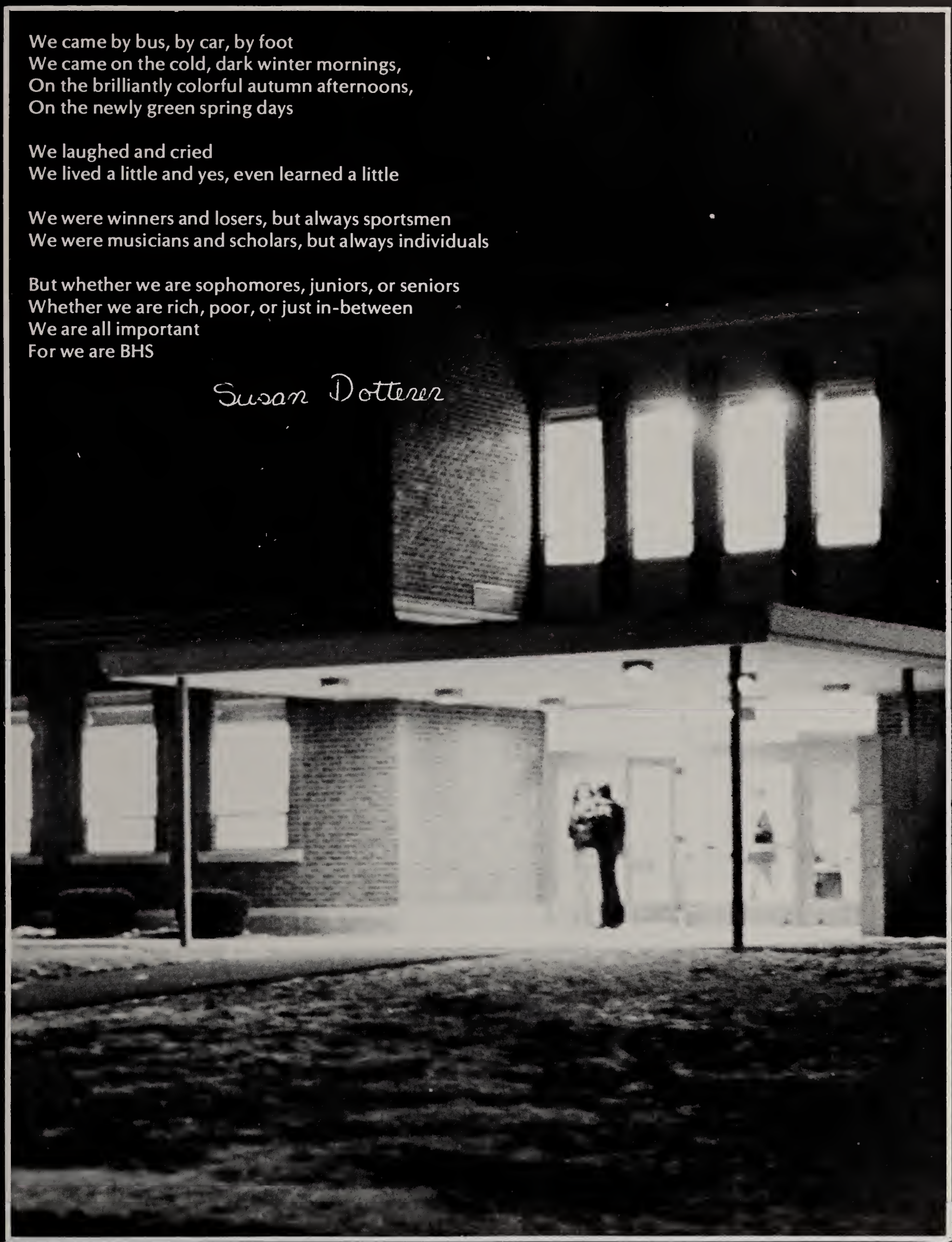
We came by bus, by car, by foot
We came on the cold, dark winter mornings,
On the brilliantly colorful autumn afternoons,
On the newly green spring days

We laughed and cried
We lived a little and yes, even learned a little

We were winners and losers, but always sportsmen
We were musicians and scholars, but always individuals

But whether we are sophomores, juniors, or seniors
Whether we are rich, poor, or just in-between
We are all important
For we are BHS

Susan Dotterer



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BLUFFTON HIGH HONORS STUDENT LEADERS

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1. The American Lung Assoc. chose K. Hall as one of eight area research winners. 2. T. Dreyer earned the Bob Hanni award, and K. Ehrsam received the Psi Ote ring as outstanding juniors (1974-75). 3. S. Geels, C. Lautzenheiser, and K. Harty, P. Squires served on Council convo program committee. 4. J. Lohmuller, P. Horn, P. Nowak, T. Flowers, and S. Day took on student handbook revision. 5. President M. Carr, vice-president P. Squires, secretary A. Hamilton, and treasurer P. Horn presided over Council. 6. This committee (S. Day, S. Dotterer, K. Sullivan, B. McArdle, M. Carr, J. Lohmuller, S. Geels) put long-awaited honor pass into action. 7. S. Maynard, K. Nortin, P. Nowak, K. Harty, and P. Squires led BHS in bicentennial celebration. 8. These sponsors and students made 1975-76 an active Student Council year. 9. L. Sallach received DAR honor award. 10. Classmates chose M. Luginbill, T. Gerber, M. Makowski, T. Schneider, B. Skiles, S. Day, B. Wetters, and N. Broman as student Rotarians. 22. Seniors M. Luginbill, B. Wetters, and S. Day attended Boys' State, while S. Dotterer participated in Girls' State activities.

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STUDENTS RECOGNIZED FOR ABILITY

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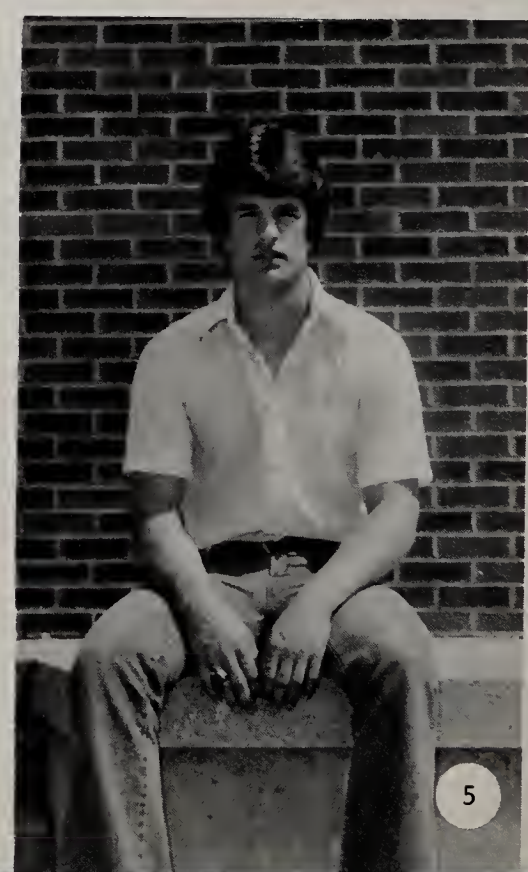
1. 14 sophomores had a 3.3 grade point average at the end of their freshman year. 2. P. Squires and M. Gerber represented BHS at the local OEA competition. 3. G. Compton received the John Philip Sousa Award. 4. D. Poindexter and J. Ramseyer (not pictured) received best Thespian honors while K. Andrews was recognized as best second year Latin student. 5. S. Dotterer received the Family Leader of Tomorrow Award. 6. 13 seniors completed their high school careers with a 3.6. KNEELING: L. Sallach, J. Aeschliman, B. Gentis. STANDING: K. Ehrsam, S. Dotterer, J. Dunwiddie, D. Gilliom, B. Fair, S. Day, B. Wetters, T. Schooley, M. Makowski, J. Bergman. 7. Fifteen percent of the senior class and five per cent of the junior class were members of this year's National Honor Society. ROW 1: B. Gentis, L. Steckbeck, S. Gitlin, J. Aeschliman, J. Dunwiddie, S. Dotterer, T. Schooley, D. Gilliom, L. Sallach, K. Ehrsam, J. Bergman, T. Troxel, K. Park, S. Johnson. ROW 2: M. Makowski, G. Rittenhouse, J. Lohmuller, S. Davis, T. Biberstein, B. Burns, A. Hamilton, D. Fulton, B. Fair, B. McArdle, B. Wetters, M. Luginbill, S. Day. 8. Fifteen seniors had a 3.5 grade point average at the end of their junior year. 9. Nineteen juniors achieved a 3.4 grade point average at the completion of their sophomore year.

STUDENTS HONORED

1. S. Day, J. Wenger, T. Schooley, S. Dotterer, and D. Fulton participated in a student government day to observe various duties in local offices. 2. T. Higman, C. Panos, J. Bergman, A. Pettibone, D. Barrick and J. Ramseyer place in the State convention for Latin at Ball State University. 3. B. Wetters, D. Fulton, S. Dotterer, B. Skiles, K. Harty, J. Haecker, L. Sallach, and S. Day earn Quill and Scroll awards for outstanding journalistic work. 4. A. McCord, W. Dunphy, S. Christian, J. Johnson, G. Compton, R. Tuttle, and B. Moser receive first place honors at the NISBOVA music contest. 5. M. Carr represented BHS Rotarians at National Affairs Institute in Cincinnati. 6. M. Carr, P. Horn, S. Carr, T. Biberstein, and J. Lohmuller competed in area speech contests.



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PUBLICATIONS WORK IS NEVER DONE

1. L. Steckbeck, M. Carr, D. Fulton, T. Dreyer, T. Gerber, C. Lautzenheiser, and D. Claghorn serve as the photography staff. 2. S. Day and L. Sallach edit the Comet. S. Dotterer and K. Harty supervise the Retro and T. Dreyer and D. Fulton compile the liberary composite. 3. P. Squires and B. Skiles distribute Retro materials. 4. L. Sallach and M. Luginbill proofread the Comet for minute errors. 5. S. Maynard, P. Horn, A. Smith, and P. Ellenberger examine typed copy while S. Gitlin checks her copy. 6. J. Haecker practices cropping techniques.

BLUFFTON HIGH STUDENTS VOLUNTEER HELP

Our work experience shapes us and the directions which our lives will take. The search for our future involves a quest for knowledge which is enriched through participation with people.

1. Stage technicians T. Colen, K. Edington, and C. Panos work with our light and sound systems at convos and other productions. 2. Mrs. Christian had plenty of good help in the library every period: P. Pfister, J. Ramseyer, L. Allen, Mrs. Christian, D. Osborn, S. May W. Dunphy, J. Wenger, D. Barrick, J. Aeschliman, C. Harvey, T. Aschliman, M. Gerber, A. Stout, P. Nowak, and D. Fulton. 3. S. Johnson, E. Moser, S. Kipfer, S. Steffen, C. Satterfield, L. Powell, L. Settle, J. Yergler and P. Squires help Mrs. Gerber in office 110. 4. Printers J. Meade, M. Morrison, F. Kipfer, K. McDermit, and J. Minnich aid Mr. Edington in printing tickets and various school publications.

¡CON ESPAÑOL POR FAVOR!

With burro tails and tasty Mexican tacos, another year of Spanish club began. The annual initiation party, climaxed by the pinning of burro tails on the initiates, helped set the enthusiasm for the oncoming school year.

Other activities included the annual Christmas party at East Side School, where members enjoyed scrambling for candy from the broken piñatas. Other memories included the taco bash, a Mexico travelogue, and the popular spring fiesta.

1. Spanish club initiates show their best side. 2. C. Anderson and M. Hinesley sample several Mexican dishes. 3. Spanish club boasted a membership of 98.4. Senior members are always ready to make a toast to the party. 5. The Spanish club officers take time out from their busy schedules for a siesta — treasurer A. Gentis, secretary T. Troxel, sponsor Mr. Shalley, vice-president, J. Lohmuller, and president B. Gentis.

LATIN CLUB ADDS TOUCH OF CULTURE

Beginning the year with a float-building project for Street Fair, Latin club members enjoyed another eventful year under the leadership of officers Terri Biberstine, Chris Panos, Patsy Pfister and Jean Bergman. The theme of the float, which captured fifth place, was "Romans Pave Way to American Heritage." Other highlights included the Roman Banquet, a Christmas party and the annual state convention in April.

1. K. Andrews, J. Ramseyer, and T. Flowers, attired in togas, begin rehearsal for a Latin skit. 2. M. Markley proposes a toast to the sponsor and the oncoming Latin year. 3. Latin club members enjoy the togetherness while constructing the float. 4. Latin club members and sponsor Mr. Cowan study a Latin scroll. 5. M. Seese and A. Pettibone concentrate as they study an old Roman map.

Y-TEENS ENJOYS A SUCCESSFUL YEAR

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Whether it be a Valentine exchange or preparation for the annual Mother-Daughter Tea, the Y-Teens' club is undoubtedly the busiest of the BHS clubs. This year, under the sponsorship of Mrs. Smith, Y-Teens began the 1975-76 season with the annual initiation banquet.

During Valentine week, Y-Teens sponsored a Valentine and a carnation exchange for sweethearts and friends.

The club also initiated an Easter Seal project; Y-Teen members stuffed and addressed over 8,000 envelopes. Other highlights included a Christmas gift exchange, locker buddies, and a dance program. The popular Mother-Daughter Tea closed another successful year.

1. Everybody smile and say "Cheese." 2. Group with sponsor Mrs. Smith. 3. B. Crickard enjoys banquet with escort D. Barrick. 4. C. Skurner and J. Warthman let their fingers do the walking for Y-Teens. 5. N. Moore ponders a newly-addressed envelope. 6. C. Zello "stuffs" it. 7. Officers: treasurer A. Gentis, vice-president S. Kipfer, president S. Maynard, secretary B. Gentis. 8. T. Colen and C. Baumgartner strike a pose before entering the banquet area. 9. "Hey, where have all the flowers gone?"

ACTORS GAIN INSIGHT

This year, Thespian Troupe 1218 enjoyed another active year under the direction of Miss Studebaker. Members had opportunities to increase their acting potential and to stimulate dramatic culture in Bluffton High School. Highlights included initiation of new members, a slide presentation of Finland, the annual Christmas convocation, a Bicentennial sketch, and the election of new officers in May.

1. S. May, L. Hite, K. Fischer, and P. Johnson listen intently as plans are discussed for the oncoming Thespian year. 2. Thespian club proudly displays its members. 3. J. James demonstrates the art of applying make-up using J. Sands as her model. 4. Miss Studebaker and officers patiently await the opening of the new auditorium: president D. Poindexter, vice-president G. Bass, secretary J. Ramseyer, treasurer L. Schlagenhauf, and scribe K. Park.

OEA KNOWS ITS BUSINESS

OEA members remained active throughout the school year under Miss Kile's leadership.

Major activities included the UNICEF collection at Halloween, an ice skating and pizza party, the district contest at Marion, and a Christmas project for shut-ins. The final event of the year was the mother-daughter banquet, which took place at the Back Forty.

1. OEA gathers together for a group photograph. 2. D. Osborn calmly awaits the beginning of the banquet. 3. OEA officers help make the year a successful one: president L. Settle, vice-president T. Aschliman, secretary B. Gentis, treasurer A. Gentis, historian M. Gerber, and parliamentarian C. Beeks. 4. T. Schrolucke takes a short break from her work at the duplicator. 5. B. Hunnicutt scoops another spoonful of food onto her crowded dinner plate.

FHA COMES TO LIFE

Cook-outs, Christmas parties, a canning demonstration, and Easter favors for the elderly are just a few of the activities in which the Future Homemakers of America participated this year. FHA, sponsored by Mrs. Fritts, kept busy with new projects throughout the year. The major event closing the year was the Mother-Daughter banquet. The theme chosen was "At the End of Every Rainbow is The Pathway To Life."

1. D. Stultz displays some Easter favors made by FHA members for nursing homes. 2. FHA enjoys a hardy membership of 32. 3. K. VanZant admires her egg creation. 4. FHA officers relax in the home economics kitchen: president C. Lautzenheiser, vice-president L. Settle, secretary-treasurer C. Edington, reporter L. Hite, parliamentarian D. Stultz, historian J. James, projects' chairman C. Croy and recreation leader S. Gentis.

DABBLERS LEARN SKILLS

Encouraging art students to reach a better understanding in the study of art is the main function of Dabblers.

Early in the year, a busload of eager Dabblers rode to Nashville in Southern Indiana to observe craftsmen skillfully shape pottery, silver, jewelry, and leather. Another project involved decorating the school Christmas tree in December. Election of officers during the club breakfast closed the year.

1. Sponsor Miss Berghoff joins Dabbler officers: president K. Nortin, vice-president N. Broman, and secretary-treasurer T. Troxel. 2. G. Myers proves his artistic ability by helping to decorate the art room. 3. Dabbler members work together to create ornaments to promote Christmas spirit. 4. Dabblers paint a pretty picture. 5. C. Jackson, L. Moon, and C. Harvey hurry to put finishing touches on their masterpieces.

BHS CHOIRS "SING A SONG"

The concert choir, directed by Miss Lana Huff, made great strides this year.

Performances at the annual B.B.S.A. choral festival, NISBOVA contest and the Christmas convocation were this year's major features, along with participation in the commencement exercises.

Street Fair competition, Christmas shows for service clubs, and a student convocation highlighted the eighteen-voice swing choir's busy schedule.

Both vocal organizations proved 1976 "a year of achievements."

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1. Swing choir. 2. Enthusiasm is the thing, according to choir director Miss L. Huff and choir officers G. Rittenhouse, B. Cline and K. Terhune. 3. "It doesn't take long to discover you can't please everybody," comments swing choir altos A. Harsh, C. Hook, K. Park and L. Sallach. 4. The choir practices diligently for upcoming performances. 5. Concert choir. 6. B. Rittenhouse and L. Sallach practice "the bump." 7. Swing choir steps lively on "A Wonderful Day Like Today."

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TIGER BAND CONTINUES VICTORY CREST

The BHS Tiger Band worked hard all year around to accomplish great goals.

During the summer, the band marched in the American Legion Contest and the LaPorte Invitational.

The fall intinerary included home football shows and Street Fair parades. As the Tigers tied with Norwell for first place in the Street Fair band contest, the BHS band continued to ride victory's crest.

During the winter, pep sessions and basketball games were on the busy schedule along with a winter concert.

With the arrival of spring, the talented musicians participated in two concerts: the annual spring program and the BBSA concert.

The jazz ensemble had one of the more active years for the organization. They performed at the elementary schools, provided a convocation for the high school, and also participated in four jazz concerts.

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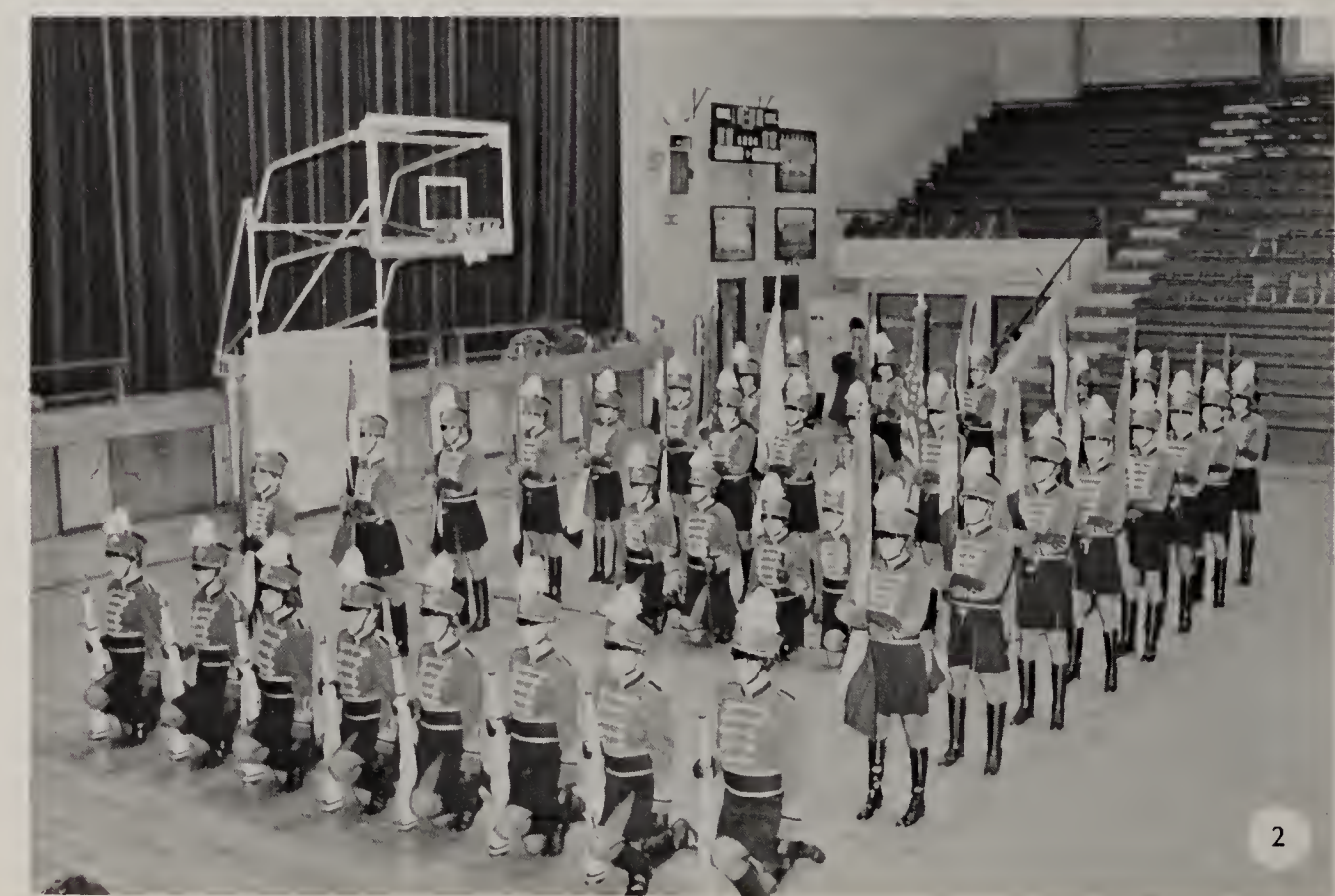

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1.K. Fischer, L. Sallach, and W. Dunphy keep the band library in order. 2. The color guard serves an important part in the Bicentennial summer presentation. 3. Director Roth dedicates every day to music and the BHS Tiger Band. 4. The band keeps the spirit movin' during pep sessions. 5. The judges watch the band as the Tigers work hard at Indianapolis to achieve their Legion first prize for the third consecutive year. 6. Tigers tie with Norwell for first place at Street Fair. 7. The percussionists add soul to the band. 8. M. Collins, T. Harter, and R. Tuttle work hard to keep the band uniforms in order. 9. Mr. Kantz spends his first year in dedication to the Tigers as assistant director. 10. Street Fair brings thumping hearts and excitement to all.

TIGERS STRIVE TO GAIN BIGGER HORIZONS

1. The Jazz Ensemble participates in many events with a highlight being the Ball State Jazz Festival. 2. The Bluffton Marching Tigers perform at another home football game as halftime entertainment. 3. Not only do the Tigers march, but they also participate in concert band. 4. The color guard presents the colors at another football half-time show. 5. The saxophones add exciting sound to the band. 6. The entire band and color guard go through numerous pains to pose for a group picture. 7. The Tigers proudly confront the Street Fair judges in their new uniforms. 8. T. Terhune, J. Oman, and B. Grove bring the bass section a big sound. 9. J. Dunwiddie dedicates many long, hard hours as Tiger majorette. 10. Basketball audiences enjoy the band's special music.

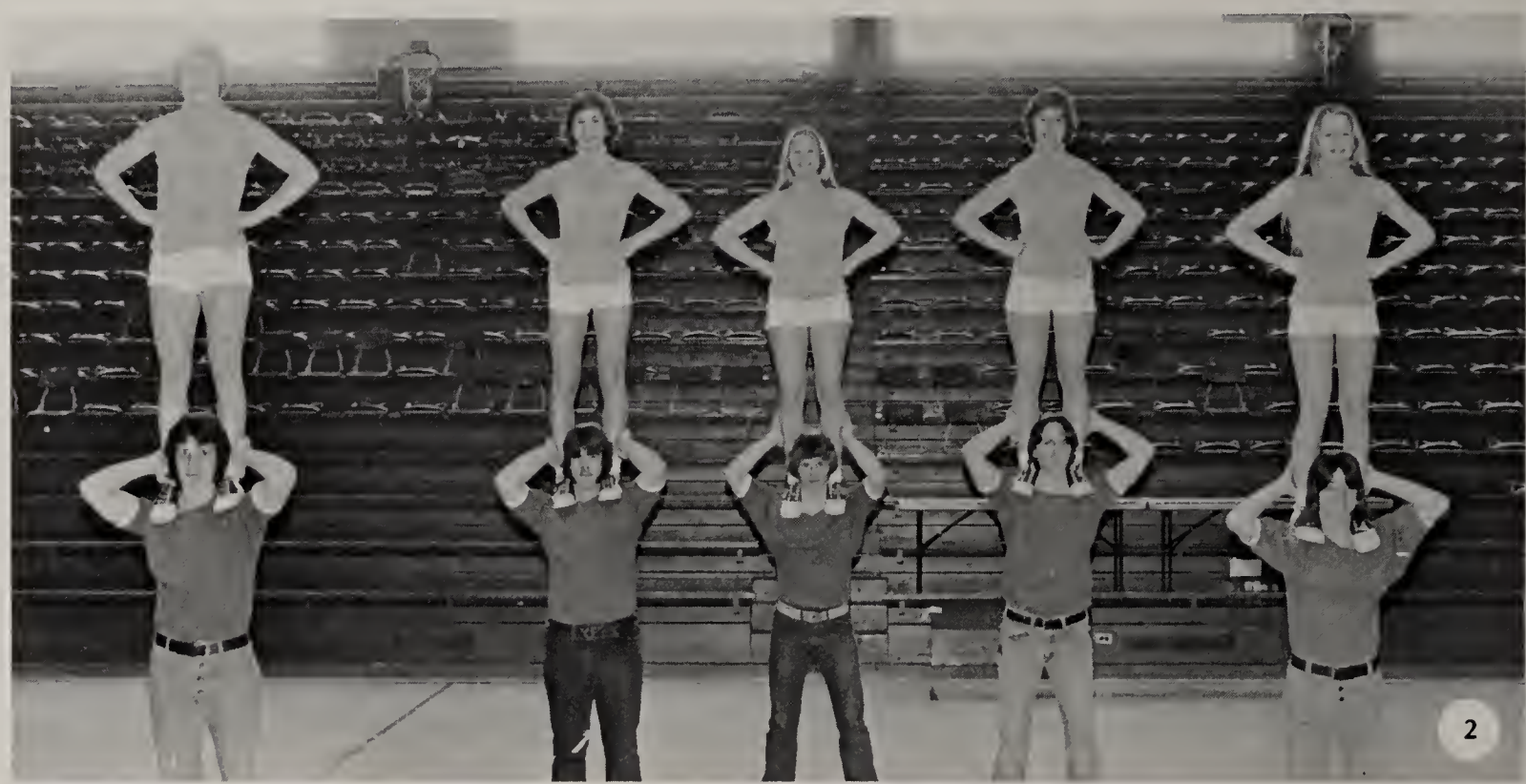
"DON'T SAY NOTHING BAD ABOUT THE TIGERS," CRIES BHS CHEERBLOCK

Peppy yells and good sportsmanship help boost BHS athletes. Behind this effort was the Tiger cheerblock, 86 strong.

The guys agreed that the chants of the pep club, band, freshmen, and adult fans boosted the spirits, often making a difference between winning and losing. The girls with their new uniforms believed that "rowdie" proved effective for those aiding the lively block. So to end a victorious year . . . Ro-Wd-Ie . . that's the way you spell ROWDIE!

1. S. Steffen and S. Maynard, co-captains of cheerblock, pose with this year's Tiger mascot, B. Gentis. 2. The cheerblock generated Tiger spirit. 3. Miss Kile, Miss Baker, and Mrs. Fritts shared cheerblock and cheerleader responsibilities.

CHEERLEADING HITS HIGH ON BHS HOMECOURT



1. B. Fiar, D. Fulton, K. Ehrsam, G. Harnish, T. Troxel, varsity cheerleaders, show great spirit for 1975-76 football-basketball season. 2. T. Schneider, T. Oswalt, M. Luginbill, M. Makowski, T. Harris helped varsity cheerleaders, while having a great time during baksetball season. 3. T. Irvin, J. Koenigseker, C. Gavin, K. Sullivan lead the JV cheers.

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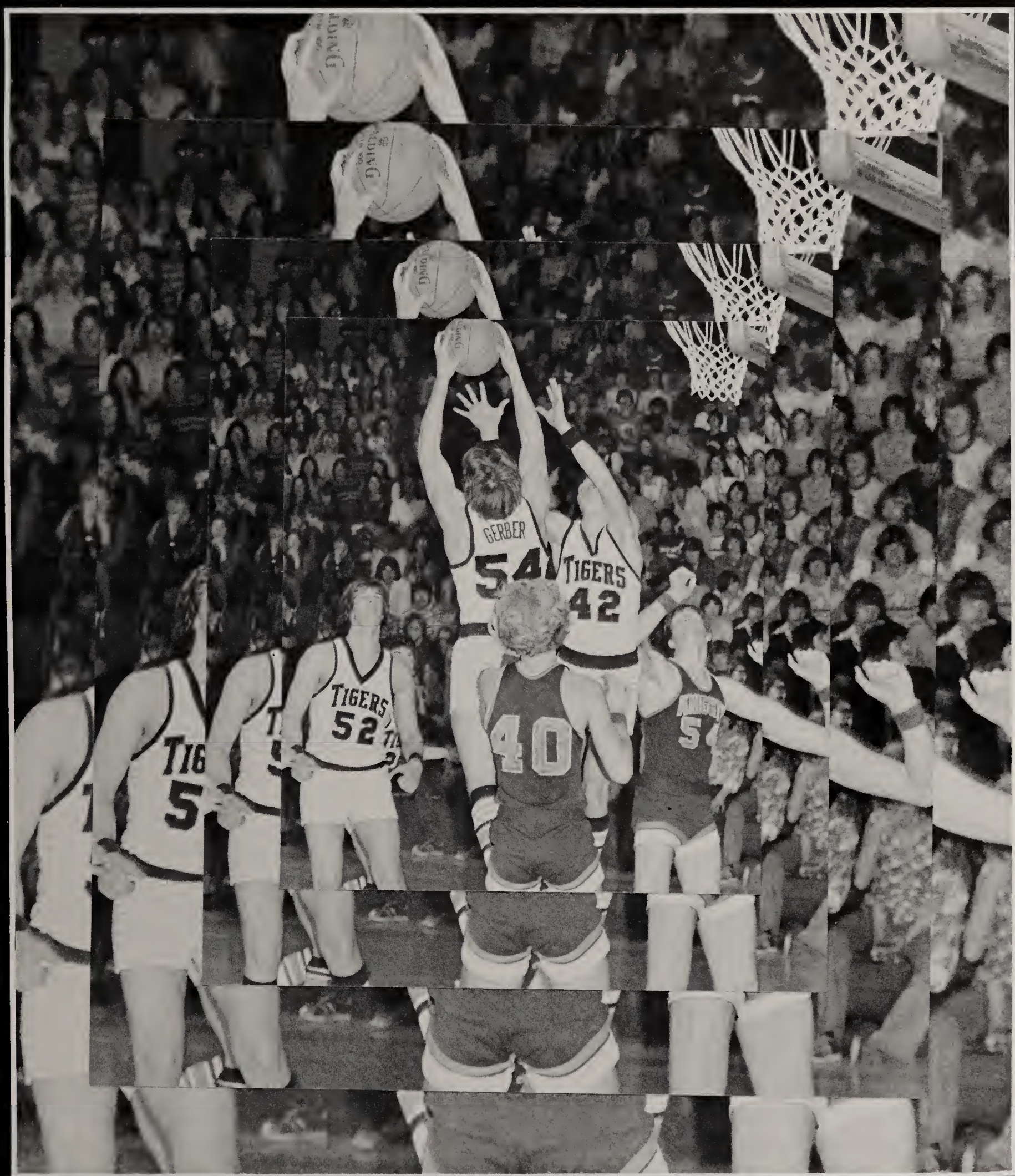


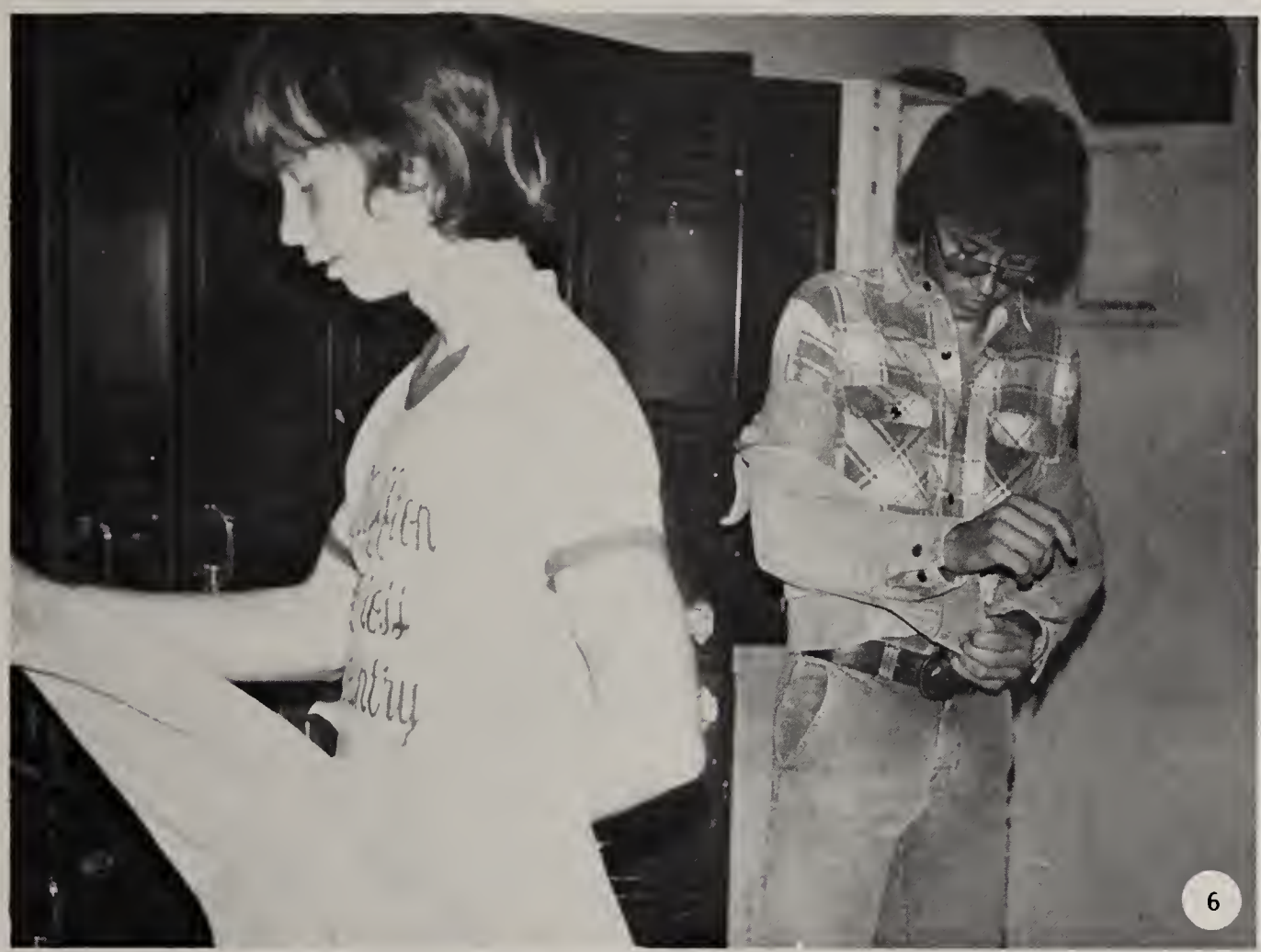
DEWITT'S HARRIERS WORK TO CAPTURE A 48-41 RECORD IN REBUILDING YEAR

ROW 1: R. Miller, P. Meyer, G. Myers, S. Geels, T. Colen, S. Schwartz. ROW 2: M. Bates, S. Vore, J. Maller, T. Creason, C. Panos, T. Breedlove, G. Smith, D. Fiechter, K. Vega, R. Brickley.

In the best tradition of BHS, the 1975 Cross Country team entered the winter months with a 48-41 record. Hampered by injuries to its top two aces, the team managed second place honors at the Bi-County meet along with fourth place ribbons in the Yorktown and Limberlost Invitationals.

Captained by Sid Schwartz and led most of the season by Most Valuable Runner Steve Geels, the team also took NEIAC seventh place and returned from Manchester in the middle of a 24-team sectional.

Four juniors, and 13 sophomores and freshmen, along with a 22-3 reserve record, influences Coach Ron DeWitt to take an optimistic attitude toward next season. Next year, in his opinion, will be . . . "the year of the Tiger."



1. R. Miller shows his style before being sidelined with an injury. 2. J. Maller, a very promising young sophomore, sets the pace. 3. Team. 4. T. Colen concentrates on coach's suggestion. 5. T. Sills is in a comfortable position — ahead of a Norwell runner. 6. Most Improved Runner G. Smith and Most Valuable Runner S. Geels prepare for another victory. 7. T. Colen and S. Schwartz provided the young team with ribbons as well as leadership as seniors.

TIGER NETTERS CAPTURE NEIAC CROWN

Despite two successive losses early in the season, the 1975 Tiger netters emerged with an impressive 11-4 slate.

The Tigers did an instant replay in grabbing the conference crown by beating Bellmont and DeKalb by the identical scores of 3-2. In the finals, the Tigers whipped Angola by a 4-1 count.

The Tigers bowed to the eventual sectional champs Anderson in the third round of the tourney by a score of 3-2.

The Tigers were led by seniors Bruce Skiles and Al Steffen with 15-0 and 12-3 records, respectively. The doubles team of Ted and Jack Higman posted a record of 7-5.

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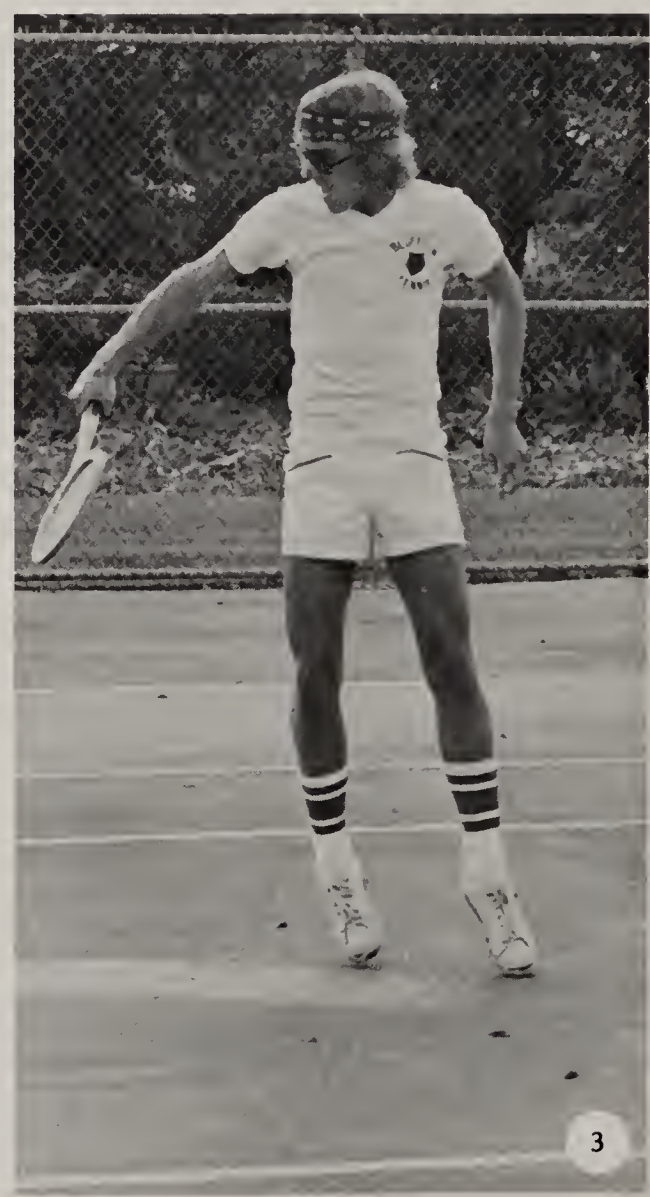

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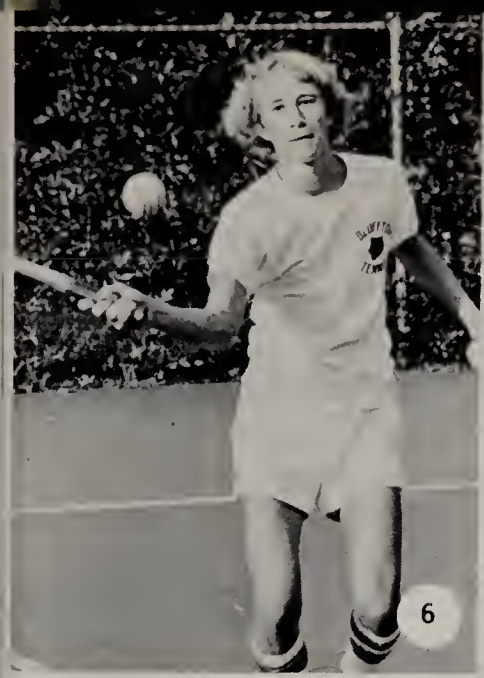
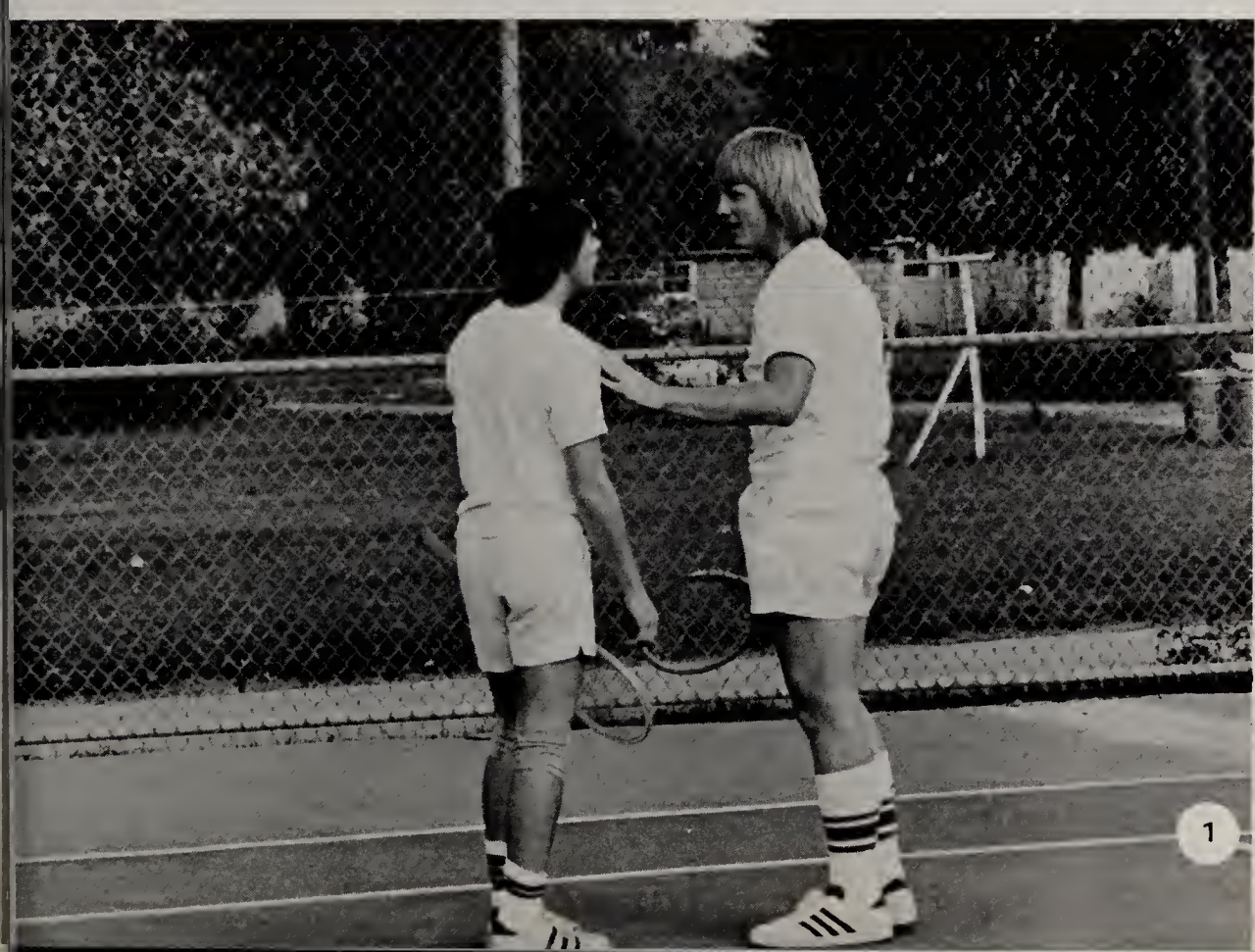


ROW 1: B. Settle, A. Steffen, D. King. ROW 2: C. Frank, K. McDermit, J. Minnich, S. Higgins, J. Oman, B. Cline. ROW 3: R. Campbell, S. Carnes, M. Hinesley, J. Higman, B. Skiles, T. Schaffter, M. Risser, C. Daniels. ROW 4: T. Hullinger, T. Oman, T. Sundling, M. Schumm, D. Dohrman, T. Higman, B. Wetters.



1. J. Minnich and B. Wetters discuss strategy before a doubles match. 2. Coach Gary Oxenrider looks on proudly as the Tigers put another victory under their belt. 3. T. Higman jams a shot over the net. 4. B. Skiles shows the form which earned him a 45-2 career singles record. 5. A. Steffen returns an opponent's weak shot. 6. T. Schaffter keeps a close eye on the ball. 7. Team.

BENGAL GRIDDERS CLINCH NEIAC CROWN IN A CLASSIC FINISH

A "storybook" feeling was shared by Bluffton fans in the quest for the NEIAC title against Bellmont October 31. Last second heroics by Jeff Stinson, Todd Reimschisel, and Mike Carr produced a comeback victory for the Tigers and the first conference crown since 1955.

The gridders finished with an 8-2 ledger, third best in BHS's history. Offensively, the Bengals placed 17.6 points on the scoreboard per game. A highlight of this season was the low number of points allowed by the defense — 8.4 tallies a contest. On both sides of the field, it was solely a team effort.

Bluffton placed four players on the NEIAC first team. Jack Wenger was named for the offense, while Mike Carr and Tim Dreyer represented the defense. Tim Gerber became the first Bluffton player to be named on both squads since 1968. Second team nominations went to Tim Dreyer, Tim Oswalt, Jeff Stinson, and Bob McArdle. Honorable mention listed Brent Holsinger, Butch Crickard, Fred Fuller, Tom Longenberger, and George Panos.

ROW 1: P. Runyon, T. Schneider, T. Oswalt, J. Bowman, T. Dreyer, M. Carr, T. Gerber, M. Makowski, B. Holsinger, T. Flowers, J. Stinson. ROW 2: J. Compton, T. Vice, K. Shady, F. Fuller, J. Wenger, B. Crickard, B. McArdle, T. Longenberger, B. Myers, C. Panos, S. Falk, D. Pfister. ROW 3: S. Hartman, D. Squires, V. Clifton, C. McArdle, T. Reimschisel, S. Grove, B. Claghorn, S. Day, T. Flowers, C. Anderson, B. Gerber, D. Evans. ROW 4: M. Schneider, S. Carr, J. Gilgen, K. Harty, T. Minnich, J. Skurner, M. Bordner, B. Struver, B. Curry, J. Pfister, B. Moser, M. Reeb. Row 5: manager C. Reynolds, freshmen coach J. Hartup, defensive backfield coach J. Brown, head coach M. Bolinger, offensive backfield coach D. Kummer, freshmen coach D. Fisher, manager M. Graves.

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1. Butch Crickard scrambles around end for long yardage. 2. Jeff Stinson uncorks a pass before being tackled. 3. Tiger coaches. KNEELING LEFT TO RIGHT, J. Hartup, D. Fisher, J. Brown, D. Kummer, and M. Bolinger, whose prowess earned him an assistant nod in the North-South game. 4. Team begins to celebrate victory over Bellmont after the glorious touchdown. 5. T. Dreyer talks over defensive strategy with Coach Bolinger. 6. An Adams Central scrambler is stopped by the Bluffton defense. 7. 1975 NEIAC champions. 8. Bob McArdle led the rushing forces with 601 yards. 9. Mike Carr outmaneuvers a Norwell defender.

1. Cheerleaders and fans contributed support and school spirit to the gridders' effort. 2. These Tigers made NEIAC first team — KNEELING: M. Carr and J. Wenger. STANDING: T. Dreyer and T. Gerber. 3. M. Graves and C. Reynolds shared managerial responsibilities. 4. Offensive line was instrumental in providing yardage and pass coverage for the backfield. 5. Defensive End Tim Dreyer and Offensive Tackle Tim Gerber were tagged for the 1975 Class A All-State team; Gerber was also tagged for the North team in the North-South All Star game. (Picture taken at the newly-built stadium).

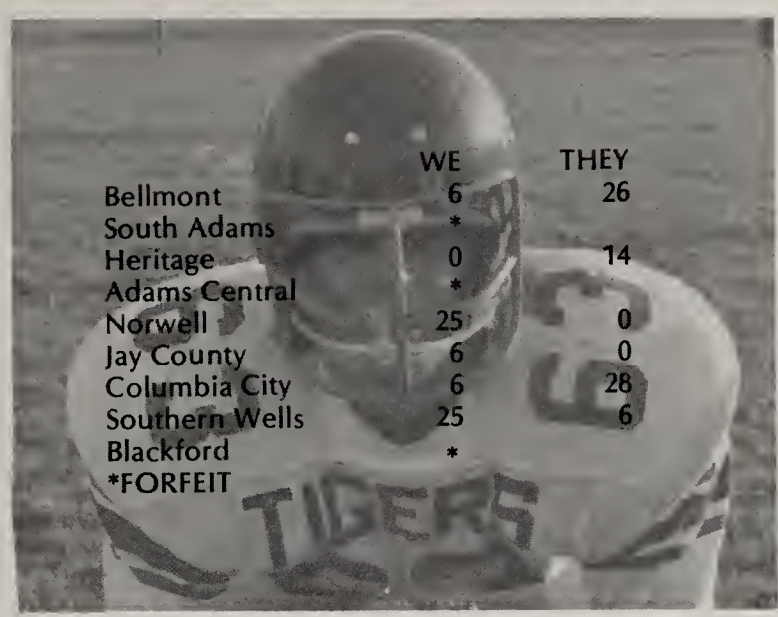
DEDICATION BRINGS LITTLE BENGALS TO A 6-3 SEASON

The 1975 Bluffton Tiger reserve football team completed an impressive season with a 6-3 ledger, three games being won on forfeits.

The little Bengals played for very little glory, but worked hard on fundamentals, hoping to prepare themselves for varsity action next year. The year of dedicated preparation is a must to help fill the vacancies left by the graduating seniors.

Players to look for as replacements for the seniors leaving this year's squad include Troy Flowers, Blake Gerber, Vance Clifton, Chuck Anderson, Denny Squires, and Scot Grove.

Many others will also join these individuals, in hope to make the 1976 season an exciting varsity football year for Bluffton High School.



	WE	THEY
Bellmont	6	26
South Adams	*	
Heritage	0	14
Adams Central	*	
Norwell	25	0
Jay County	6	0
Columbia City	6	28
Southern Wells	25	6
Blackford	*	

*FORFEIT

1. C. Anderson takes the snap and hands off to S. Grove while S. Day, B. Gerber, and V. Clifton block to open the hole. 2. B. Gerber hikes to C. Anderson as halfback T. Flowers prepares to attack the opponents. 3. T. Flowers flairs out to set up for the screen pass.

IRWIN'S FIGHTING TIGERS GAIN REVENGE IN SECTIONAL WIN

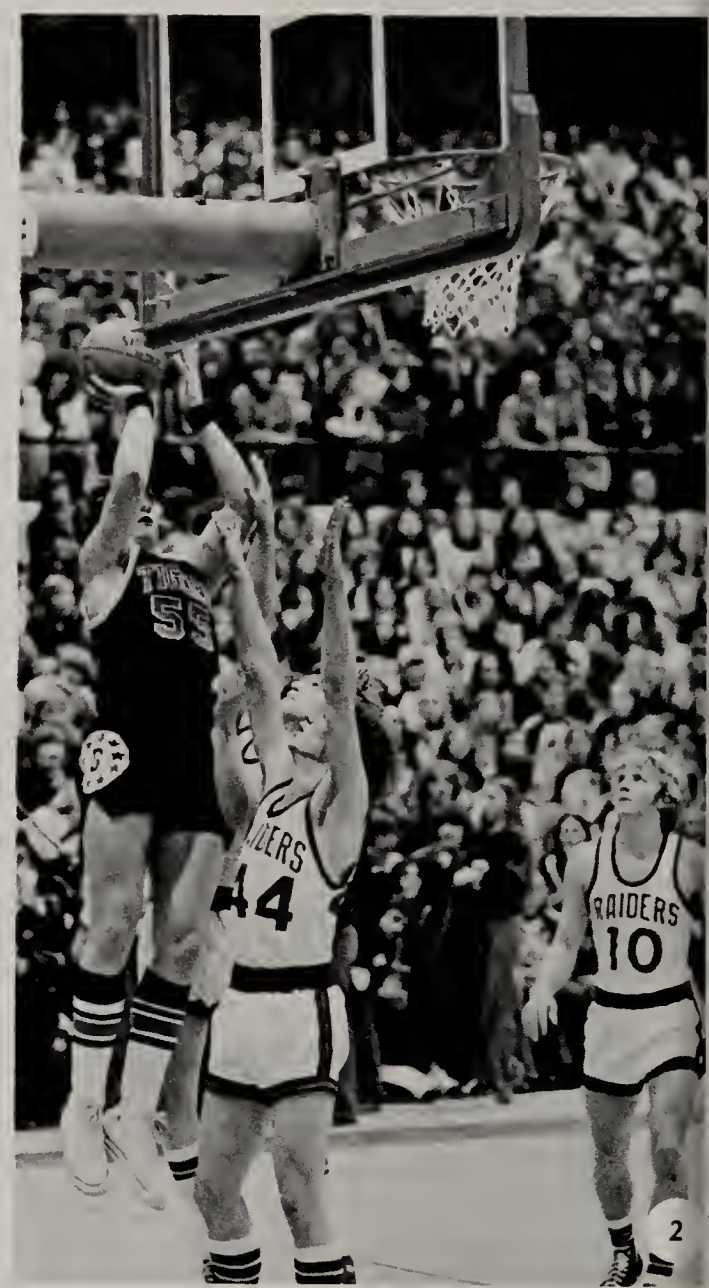
The 1975-76 edition of the Tigers proved to be one of the most successful in recent years. The fine outside shooting of Bruce Skiles coupled with the inside shooting and rebounding abilities of Tim Dreyer and Tim Gerber provided one of the strongest one-two-three punches in the area.

Dreyer, Gerber and Skiles made the All-Sectional first team. Dreyer dominated the final game victory over Norwell with 35 points and 25 rebounds. Gerber scored a personal career high of 25 points in the opening game of the sectional against Southern Wells. Skiles was consistently in the top scoring ranks, scoring in the twenties in all sectional games.
The Tigers fell to a hot shooting Logansport team in the Marion Regional to finish with an even 12-12 ledger.

As a team, the Tigers outrebounded their opponents with ease, led by Tim Dreyer's 301. High point man for the Tigers was Bruce Skiles with 469. Although he was not the top scorer, Dreyer shot an amazing .582 from the field.

Junior Mike Schumm provided additional inside strength, and his classmate Bruce Markley played stiff defense, scoring when the Tigers needed points.

Markley and Schumm will lead the Tigers into battle next year, with help from fellow varsity members Tom Sundling and Chuck Anderson.



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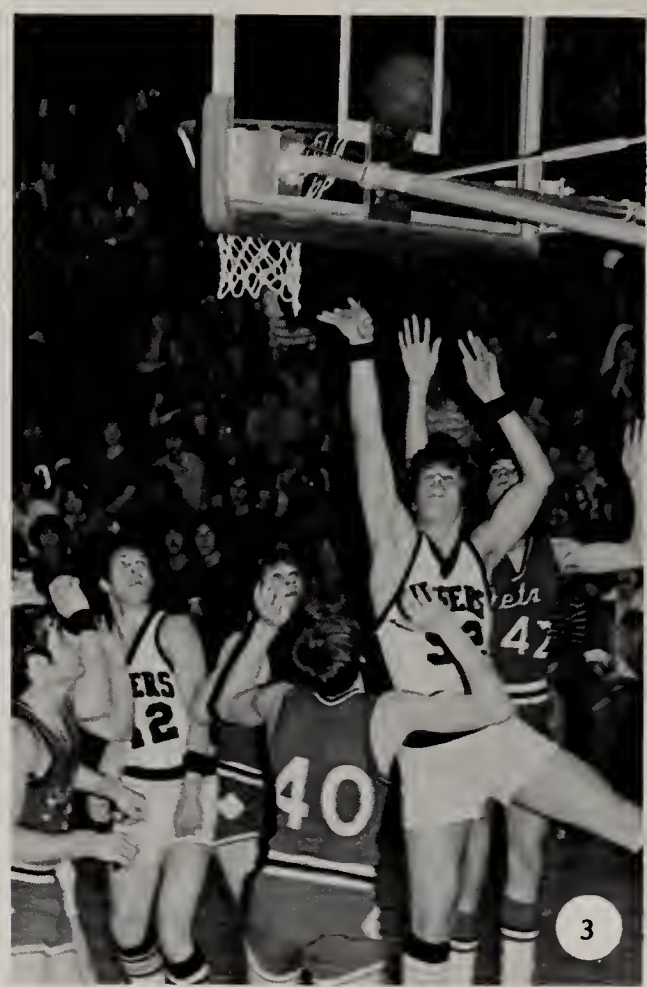
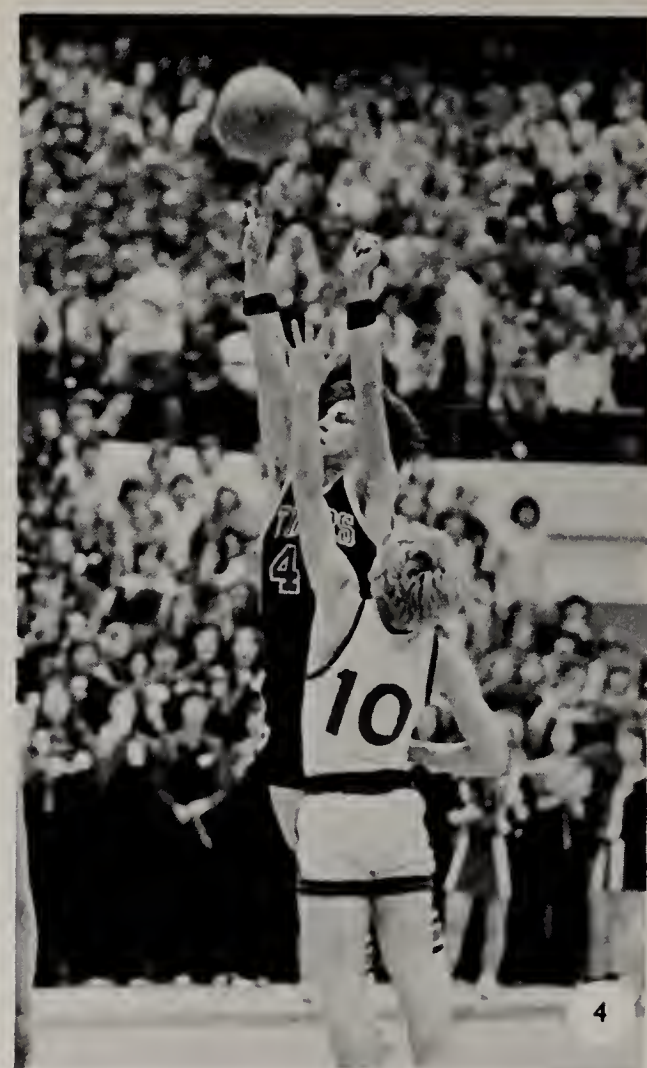
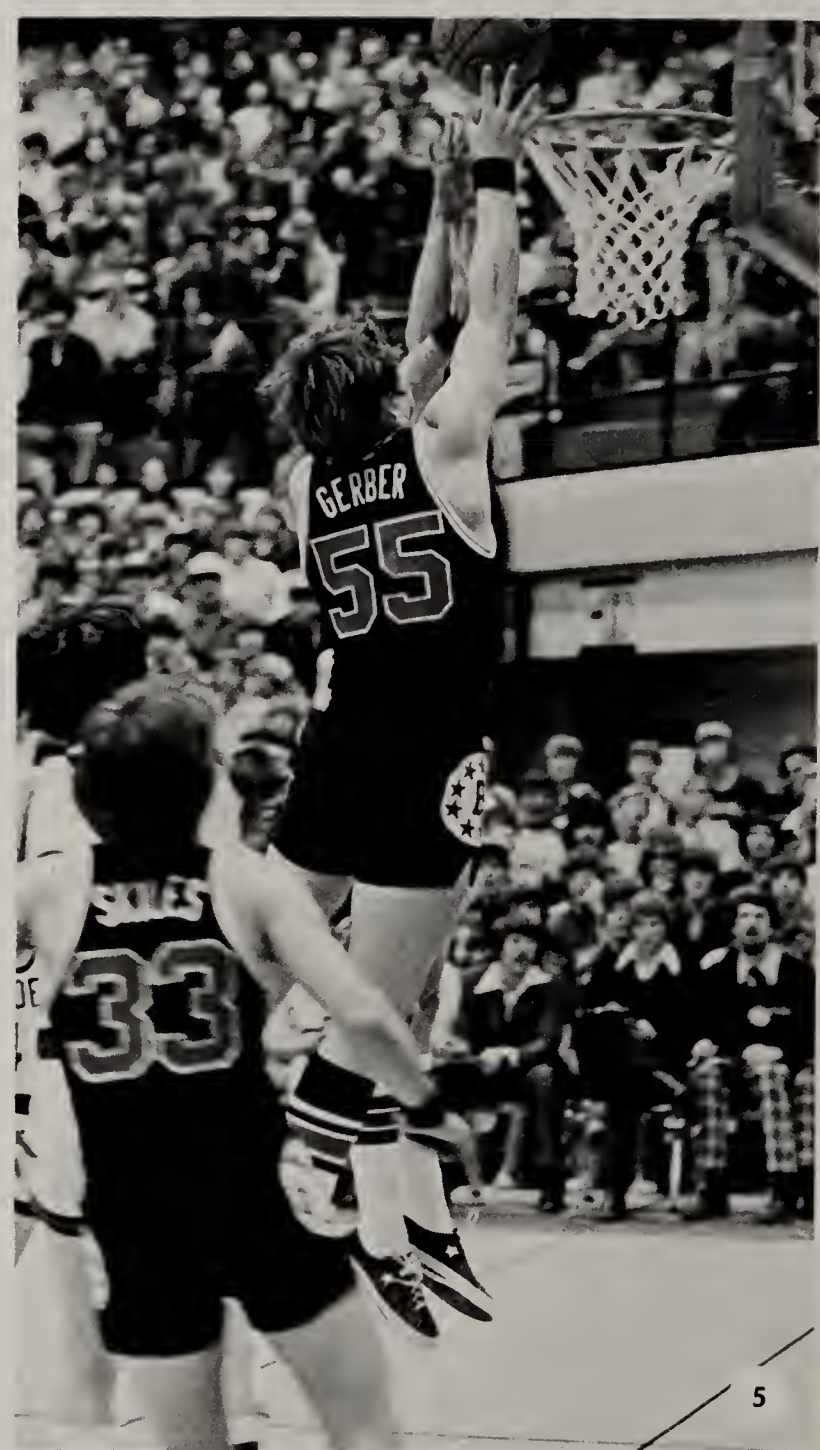
1. After a short break, the Tigers go into battle again. 2. Flatfooted defense costs the Raiders two. 3. KNEELING: G. Harnish, D. Fulton, K. Ehrsam, B. Fair, T. Troxel. STANDING: Coach Garton, J. Keller, T. Creason, K. McDermit, C. Anderson, M. Carr, B. Holsinger, B. Markley, T. Sundling, D. Dohrman, J. Stinson, T. Colen, T. Gerber, B. Skiles, T. Dreyer, M. Schumm, B. Curry, Coach Irwin, T. Hacha. 4. Junior guard B. Markley pumps in two for the Tigers. 5. Coach Irwin says play number one. 6. T. Dreyer gets a bunny as the other Tigers block out.





TIGERS' SUCCESSFUL SEASON DUE TO VARIETY OF PERSONALITIES



1. The Tigers celebrate their triumph in the sectional. 2. A nifty move earns B. Skiles an easy layup. 3. T. Dreyer muscles in two points. 4. M. Schumm easily shoots over an opponent. 5. Despite a hand in his face, T. Gerber lays it in for two.

JUNIOR VARSITY SHOWS PROMISE

Though the little Tigers got off to a slow start, a mid-season spurt gave the Bengals a respectable 8-12 record.

Four of the five starters were sophomores. The experience these players gained will provide a fine nucleus of future varsity teams.

The Tigers were led in scoring by Tom Sundling and Brad Claghorn with 190 and 140 points, respectively. Sundling's total placed him third on the jayvee all-time scoring list.

The high point of the season for Coach Garton and his boys was their first-ever victory over arch rival Norwell.

1. Team. 2. T. Sundling easily out jumps an opponent to put the ball through the hoop. 3. C. McArdle lays it up for two. 4. The team gathers around Coach Garton for vital instructions. 5. K. Harty goes high to pull down a rebound.

[illegible] C. McArdle, S. [illegible]r, D. Squires [illegible]rove. ROW [illegible]: [illegible]Day, T. Reimschi[illegible]el, [illegible]n, B. McArdle, T. Hull[illegible]er. R[illegible]: Coac[illegible]rwin, [illegible] Harty, B. Ge[illegible]ber, B. [illegible]gh[illegible], [illegible]s, B. [illegible]s, Coa[illegible]on.

THINLIES REBUILD IN 1976 YEAR

Paced by the efforts of Tim Dreyer, the 1976 track team recorded a 33-33 ledger. The tracksters placed fifth in the South Adams relays, second in the Bi-County, sixth in the NEIAC, and eighth in the sectional.

Dreyer represented BHS in the Fort Wayne Regional, placing third and winning the right to compete in the State meet.

Individual leaders of this year's track team were Tim Dreyer with 131 points and Ted Higman with 81. First-time track man Mike Schumm finished with 77. Other top individuals were Pat Meyer, Gary Compton, Bob McArdle, and Jeff Adams.

Two tracksters put their names in the record books, one being Dreyer and the other Pat Meyer. Meyer tied the 440 record at 52.0, while Dreyer shattered his own discus record with a toss of 161'4".

Coach Ron DeWitt's reserves came out on the short end with a 5-6 record, scoring victories over Homestead and Jay County.

The nucleus of the 1977 track team will be Higman, Schumm, Meyer, McArdle, Adams, and Brad Claghorn.

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1. M. Carr, adept at the shot put, also earned discus points, placing second in the Bi-County meet. 2. R. Miller shows strength and endurance in the two-mile run. 3. T. Creason, T. Colen, and T. Gerber put forth extra effort as they round the corner. 4. J. Adams polevaults to greater heights. 5. G. Compton crosses the finish line first, while B. McArdle fights for second place. 6. Coach Dewitt helps the Tigers chalk up a winning season. 7. J. Maller paces the Tiger team to success. 8. T. Higman demonstrates good form as he participates in the high hurdles. 9. Team. 10. T. Dreyer had a successful season breaking many discus records and placing third in regional competition. 11. S. Falk and P. Meyer round the track one more time.

TIGER NINE IS YOUNG TEAM

Coach Ballinger's Tiger diamondmen compiled a 3-15 record by the close of school with a So. Well sectional conflict yet to be played. The Tiger victories included conference foe Garrett and county rivals Norwell and Southern Wells. The young team promises an improved record next year, for freshmen and sophomores gained playing experience on both varsity and reserve teams. Batting averages improved greatly.

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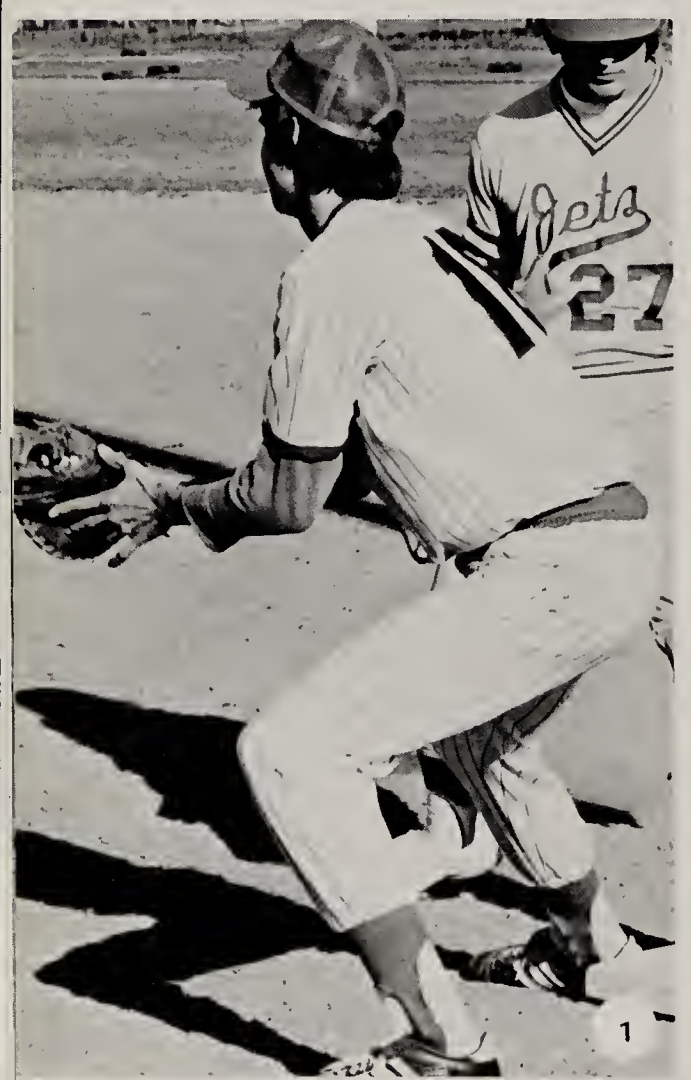

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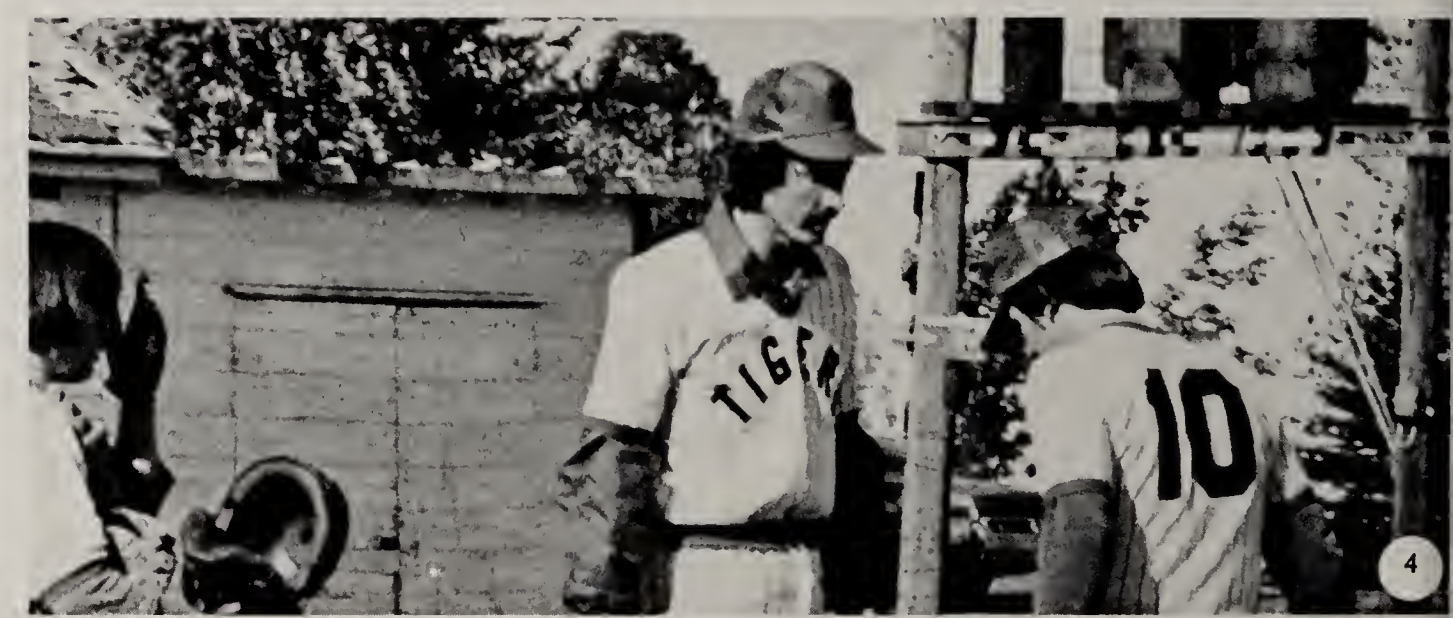

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1. T. Sundling snags a throw from pitcher P. Kleinknight, catching a Jet off guard. 2. B. Skiles, Tiger pitcher and shortstop, proves his worth as no. 1 batter in Wells County. 3. B. Crickard beats it home for a run. 4. Catcher T. Pearson, Coach K. Ballinger, and pitcher B. Skiles confer at the mound. 5. Team. The Tigers advanced to sectional finals, losing to Blackford Champions.

KNEELING: C. Reynolds, G. Hann, D. Fuller, D. Pfister, T. Reimschickel, B. Buckland, S. Ca[illegible], C. [illegible]dle, B. Crickard. STANDING: Coach Ballinger, B. Myers, M. Lugbill, B. Skiles, T. Sundling, D. [illegible]man, P. Kleinknight, C. Anderson, [illegible] Harris, T. Pearson.

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BHS LINKSMEN ABOVE PAR

The year 1976 was one of rebuilding for the Tiger golf squad, after Jim Brown's linksmen lost three lettermen to graduation.

Bruce Skiles and Mike Bordner returned, after lettering last season, to lead the team. Troy Barnes, Scot Grove, and Bruce Bordner were the other members of the varsity squad.

Coach Brown looks forward to next year as a very successful one for the golfers because Barnes, Grove, and the Bordner brothers will all return.

1. KNEELING: S. Grove, B. Bordner, T. Barnes, M. Bordner. STANDING: J. Keller, M. Markley, T. Flowers, K. Harty, K. White. 2. B. Skiles advanced to regional. 3. Coach Jim Brown prepares for a match. 4. Team members talk strategy. 5. S. Grove shows a correct follow through.

TRACK
(33-33)

BHS		
53	Homestead	74
21	Norwell	106
50	Jay County	77
56	Southern Wells	71
86	Adams Central	41
13	Fort Wayne Harding	94
13	Fort Wayne Wayne	76
13	New Haven	25
47	DeKalb	91
47	Angola	17
81	South Adams	37 1/2
81	Adams Central	39 1/2
78 1/2	Bellmont	54 1/2
78 1/2	South Adams	26
35	Blackford	86 1/2
35	Jay County	37 1/2

Heritage Relays — 4th
Blackford Relays — 4th
South Adams Relays — 5th
Bi-County — 2nd
NEIAC — 6th
Sectional — 8th
St. Discus Entry — T. Dreyer

CROSS COUNTRY
(48-41)

BHS		
35	Blackford	20
40	Heritage	22
40	Bellmont	71
40	Adams Central	105
28	South Adams	63
28	Mississinewa	70
28	Southern Wells	74
26	Jay County	31
41	Garrett	27
41	East Noble	53
46	Fort Wayne Wayne	21
46	Jay County	66
20	Harding	36
18	Bishop Luers	43
44	Wabash	17

Churubusco Invitational — 13th
Yorktown Invitational — 4th
Limberlost Invitational — 4th
Bi-County — 2nd
NEIAC — 7th
Sectional — 12th

TENNIS
(12-4)

BHS		
4	Huntington North	3
4	Bellmont	1
4	Fort Wayne Northside	1
1	Muncie North	4
1	Marion	4
4	DeKalb	1
5	East Noble	0
6	Norwell	1
3	South Adams	2
2	Bishop Luers	3

NEIAC — 1st
Sectional — Semi-finals

FOOTBALL
(8-2)

BHS		
0	Jay County	7
14	Cambridge City (o.t.)	12
12	Southern Wells	6
16	Garrett	7
16	Bellmont	20
34	Angola	8
32	Norwell	6
20	South Adams	0
18	Adams Central	6
14	*Bellmont	12

*NEIAC Championship

GOLF
(15-14-1)

BHS		
168	South Adams	193
168	Adams Central	172
182	Norwell	169
189	Huntington North	151
175	Blackford	164
175	Marion	162
159	Jay County	164
168	Heritage	179
192	Bellmont	161
186	Northfield	176
177	Eastbrook	166
169	Southern Wells	171
179	Adams Central	183
334	Norwell	325
334	Adams Central	378

Bi-County — 2nd
NEIAC — 6th

BASEBALL

4	Wabash	6
4	Wabash	5
1	Bishop.Luers	14
4	Blackford	10
5	DeKalb	12
0	New Haven	14
0	Huntington North	10
3	Huntington North	7
1	Angola	11
7	East Noble	8
0	Bellmont	9
4	Homestead	5
2	South Adams	12
13	Norwell	9
7	Garrett	5
3	Columbia City	9
5	Adams Central	16
14	Southern Wells	4
2	Jay County	11

BASKETBALL
(12-12)

BHS		
68	Yorktown	71
60	Harding	72
77	East Noble	76
65	Southern Wells	77
62	Bellmont	86
56	Garrett	61
66	New Haven	56
60	*Bellmont	72
63	*South Adams	48
65	Norwell	66
81	Homestead	62
71	DeKalb	79
44	Huntington	83
69	Angola	64
72	Adams Central	63
74	Blackford	87
77	South Adams	58
70	Columbia City	62
88	Jay County	57
60	Heritage	66
76	*Southern Wells	74
67	*Bellmont	66
77	*Norwell	77
68	*Logansport	76

*Tourney games

GIRLS TAKE RIGHTFUL PLACE IN BHS SPORTS

The Bicentennial year found approximately 79 girls participating in six BHS sports.

Volleyball, golf, gymnastics, basketball, bowling, and tennis were on the BHS girls' athletic program.

The spirited girls rallied to form a tennis team for the first year and hope to create a swim team and track team with the new facilities next year.

Coaching the girls were Mr. Gary Oxenrider, tennis; Miss Janet Baker, basketball; and Miss Susan Naser assumed the responsibility of the remaining sports.

1. GAA gymnastics team finishes the year with a fourth place finish in the sectional. 2. GAA group competes in various athletic activities. 3. GAA officers assist Miss Naser in directing the group. STANDING: secretary L. Kleinknight, vice-president T. Biberstein. ON BARS: sports head P. Ellenberger, president A. Hamilton, and treasurer S. Maynard.

GIRLS COMPETE FOR BLUFFTON

1. Girls psych up for the volleyball match. 2. The girls' basketball team competes in the first-ever girls' basketball sectional and finishes the year with a 5-7 record. 3. Coach Janet Baker calls the next play. 4. Tigers work for the rebound. 5. Coach Baker poses with her leading scorers J. Fetters and J. Bradtmiller. 6. GAA bowling team. 7. P. Ellenberger tees off during a golf meet. 8. The GAA girls' volleyball team. 9. The GAA golf team.

BHS LETTERMEN PROVIDE SUCCESSFUL SPORTS PROGRAM

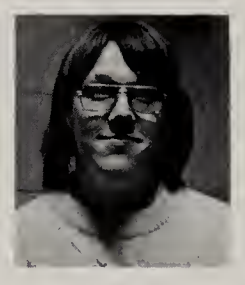
On May 25, 1976, 64 BHS lettermen were honored at a banquet featuring Taylor University basketball coach Don Odle as the main speaker, with former BHS athlete Adrian Sprunger as master of ceremonies.

This festivity reflected the many accomplishments performed by our aspiring athletes in all fields — the miracle of the football title, the stronghold of our tennis squad, and the mighty comeback in the basketball sectional. The BHS girls made a first in their athletic history, with 40 girls named lettermen by their coaches.

The Tiger coaches, who put forth many hours to prepare the players for intense competition, and the Tiger athletes represented the pride of the BHS athletic program.

Athletic award winners: T. Gerber, National Athletic Scholarship; M. Carr, Ferguson Football Triumph Trophy; T. Dreyer, Ens. Robert W. Baumgartner Trophy and Bob Ulmer Award.

SENIORS



Jeff Bowman
Football

Mike Carr
Football
Basketball
Track

Tim Colen
Cross Country
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Gary Compton
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Doug Dohrman
Basketball
Baseball

Tim Dreyer
Football
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Tim Flowers
Football

Tim Gerber
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Mike Graves
Football
Manager

Brent Holsinger
Football
Basketball

Phil Kleinknight
Baseball

Mark Luginbill
Baseball

Mark Makowski
Football

Rick Miller
Cross Country
Track

Joe Minnich
Tennis

Tim Oswalt
Football

Pat Runyon
Football

Tony Schneider
Football

Sid Schwartz
Cross Country

Bruce Skiles
Tennis
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Al Steffen
Tennis

Jeff Stinson
Football
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Brian Wetters
Tennis

JUNIORS

Jeff Adams
Track

Troy Barnes
Golf

Tim Creason
Cross Country
Manager

Butch Crickard
Football
Baseball

Scott Falk
Track

Fred Fuller
Football
Baseball

Steve Geels
Cross Country

Blanket winners. FROM LEFT TO RIGHT, T. Gerber, B. Skiles, J. Stinson, and T. Dreyer.

BHS coaches pave the road for the Tiger athletes.

Ted Higman
Tennis
Track

Tom
Longenberger
Football

Bob McArdle
Football
Track

Kevin McDermit
Basketball
Manager

Pat Meyer
Cross Country
Track

Bill Myers
Football
Baseball

George Panos
Football

Dave Pfister
Football

Craig Reynolds
Football
Manager
Baseball
Manager

Mike Schumm
Basketball
Track

Ted Sills
Cross Country

Tom Sundling
Basketball
Baseball

Jack Wenger
Football

SOPHOMORES

Chuck Anderson
Basketball
Baseball

Mike Bordner
Golf

Steve Carr
Baseball

Brad Claghorn
Football
Track

Steve Day
Track

Dave Fiechter
Cross Country
Track

Troy Flowers
Golf

Blake Gerber
Track

Scott Grove
Golf

Jan Maller
Cross Country
Track

Chip McArdle
Football
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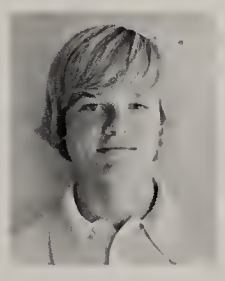


Bruce Bordner
Golf

Jack Higman
Tennis

Mark Miller
Track

Mike Sumwalt
Track

Kirk Wheeler
Baseball

KEGLERS SCORE HIGH

The 1976 intramural bowling title was handily won by Mike Morrison's team with a 26-10 record.

Frank Warrington was the high individualist for the season with a 172 average. Following Warrington were Mike Morrison at 169, Dan Nicholson with 168, Phil Kleinknight at 166, and Kevin Morrison with a 157.

High series for the season was rolled by Nicholson with a 601 while Warrington bowled a 245 for the highest individual game.

1. P. Kleinknight "mows 'em down" with a trick shot between the legs. 2. Winning team. LEFT TO RIGHT: F. Warrington, P. Kleinknight, and captain M. Morrison. 3-6. M. Luginbill demonstrates the average roll in the life of an intramural bowler. 7. While at the bowling center, league sponsor Mr. Kracium entertains intramural bowlers of the future.

DRIBBLERS PROVE TALENT

Tony Schneider's team won this year's intramural basketball title in one of the closest championship races in recent years. Following Schneider's pace-setting 8-2 record were three teams (Day, Dedrick, and Maulding) with 7-3 records.

Leading scorer for the season was Phil Kleinknight with an 18.0 clip, followed closely by Kent Markley with a 17.3. Rounding out the top five scorers were Keith Harter, Mike Collins, and Tony Harris with 15.7, 14.4, and 14.1 averages respectively.

The intramural basketball program is organized under the sponsorship of Mr. Kracium.

1. Everyone rushed to the basket as the shot goes up. 2. T. Sills moves past his man for the easy two points. 3. J. Minnich scans the floor for an open man. 4. The fight goes on for the loose ball. 5. M. Risser, G. Myers, T. Sills, G. Panos, P. Humerickhouse, and captain T. Schneider made up the winning team.

INTRAMURALS MIX LEADERSHIP AND TALENT

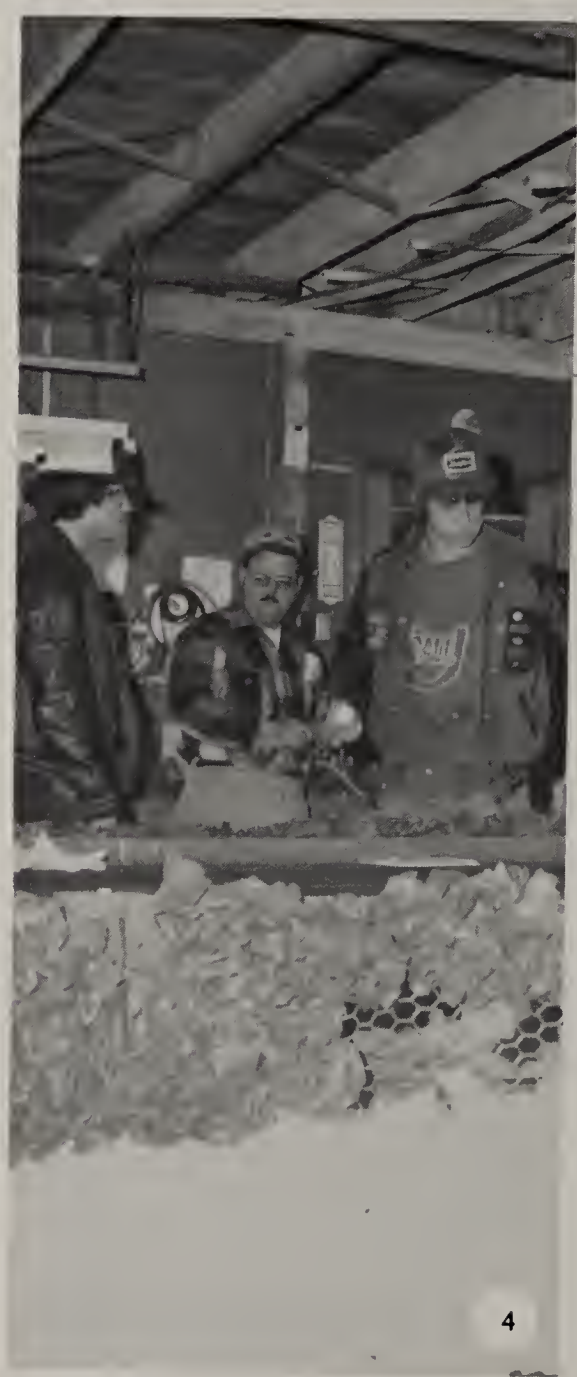
1. Mike Morrison, Kevin Morrison, Mark Luginbill, Joe Lohmuller, Dan Nicholson, and Bret Curry were bowling captains for the 1976 season. 2. Basketball group. 3. Basketball captains. FIRST ROW: Mark Luginbill, Pat Runyon, and Scott Day; SECOND ROW: Tony Schneider, Brian Wetters, and Mark Makowski (missing are Dave Dedrick and Steve Maulding). 4. Bowling group.

involvement

HOMECOMING RENEWS "THE SPIRIT OF '76"

Many great memories will be cherished when in years to come, we look back on BHS's Third Annual Homecoming, "The Spirit of '76."

As we reminisce, we'll think of . . . fun and games night . . . the terrific skits . . . the baby bottle contest . . . getting rowdie . . . the Mean Machine . . . guy cheerleaders . . . squirt gun fights . . . "Ref, who you for anyway?" . . . Tug-O-War . . . "Hey Ox, can't you see that they have more guys on their side. Come on girls, let's help them out" . . . the enthusiastic yells . . . a spirited crowd . . . the Frenzy . . . and a BHS victory.



1. Float chairman, A. Hamilton supervises the construction of the backdrop by M. Luginbill, J. Sands, and S. Wimmer. 2. S. Maynard, L. Steckbeck, and P. Squires take a break from their hard work. 3. Students M. Lohmuller, P. Strunk, and C. Croy are aided by Mr. Soper in their first attempt to build a float. 4. M. Carr and T. Gerber also came to Day's garage to help out? 5. Varsity cheerleaders B. Fair and G. Harnish took time out from their practice time to aid fellow float builders.

1. These students and faculty helped make BHS's third homecoming the great success it was. 2. An anxious crowd watches over the homecoming events. 3. The 1975 homecoming court. 4. The BHS girls participated in our first powder puff football game in 1975. Score: Seniors — 8 Juniors — 6.

QUEEN ANN AND HER ROYAL COURT REIGN OVER HOMECOMING EVENTS

Wilson field became a royal courtyard as the class princesses and senior candidates for queen approached the float.

Amy Smith and John Haecker served as the Masters of Ceremonies during the half-time activities of the Adams Central-Bluffton football game, November 24, 1975. Attendents Rick Wolfe and Joe Minnich assisted.

The girls, chosen by secret ballot, represented their respective class as princesses. An additional vote, taken within the senior class, determined the queen from among the three senior princesses.

Principal James Laws crowned Ann Gentis queen of the 1975-76 homecoming activities. Mr. Laws presented Queen Ann with a dozen red roses and escorted her from the field as the remainder of the royal court followed.

1. After senior Tim Colen escorted Ann to the float, Principal James Laws proclaimed her queen. 2. Senior princess and candidate for queen, Pam Nowak, and senior escort, Phil Kleinknight. 3. Senior princess and candidate for queen, Leslie Steckbeck, and senior escort, Rick Miller. 4. Junior princess, Tami Irvin, and junior escort, Todd Oman. 5. Sophomore princess, Jenny Koenigseker, and sophomore escort, Dave Fiechter.

King Mike Carr and Queen Leslie Steckbeck share thier happiness at the junior-senior reception with their court [illegible] and Tony Schneider (second runner-ups) and Karen Ehrsam and Jeff Stinson (first runner-ups).

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JUNIORS HONOR SENIORS AT ALL NIGHT PARTY

Honoring the Class of 1976, BHS juniors decorated the school gym, its entrance, and its stage changing the athletic area into a virtual dreamland, "Lucy in the Sky with Diamonds." Preceding the annual dinner, junior Karen Park presented the invocation, junior president Bob McArdle welcomed the graduating seniors and guests, while senior class president Mike Carr responded. Mrs. Raymond Cox provided dinner music, and the Norwell Swing Set entertained following the banquet, served by sophomore boys. The coronation, the highlight of the evening, was followed by a formal dance with the orange and pale yellow diamond-studded ceiling as their sky. Twelve-thirty marked the hour to attend the movie "The Gang That Couldn't Shoot Straight." But the evening of fun still wasn't complete, for back to the dreamland went the group for the final stage, an informal dance with music provided by "Black Lavender" and refreshments — all provided by local citizens and community groups.

1. M. Lybarger and F. Fuller show 'em how it's done. 2. M. Carr and L. Steckberck reign triumphantly. 3. S. Johnson proves it's a woman's job, well done. 4. Entrance. 5. Prom chairmen: ROW 1 — T. Biberstein, G. Harnish, G. Bass, T. Troxel, T. Irvin, S. Carnes, ROW 2 — M. Schumm, J. Lohmuller, S. Geels, B. Myers, B. McArdle. 6. C. Daniels gives photographer T. Creason a "Can't you see I'm busy look. 7. B. McArdle awards sponsor G. Oxenrider the top prom worker award. 8. Have a problem? Call Creason.

SENIORS PRESENT EVENING OF O. HENRY

November 14, an appreciative audience viewed the seniors' presentation of O. Henry's "Mammon and the Archer," "The Cop and the Anthem," and "A Lickpenny Lover." Featured was O. Henry's surprised ending.

In "Mammon and the Archer," Anthony Rockwall (S. Day), in conflict with family and neighbors, ironically proves that "money can buy anthing."

Set in New York City, "The Cop and the Anthem" portrays the tramp Soapy (N. Broman), who attempts various misdemeanors to gain a warm jail cell to replace his park bench home.

Sales clerks Lulu Hartman (P. Horn) and Maisie Doyle (L. Steckbeck) find life difficult in "A Lickpenny Lover." Unaware her boyfriend is a millionaire and fearful she might spend the rest of her life in a two-room flat, Maisie says "No" to Irving.

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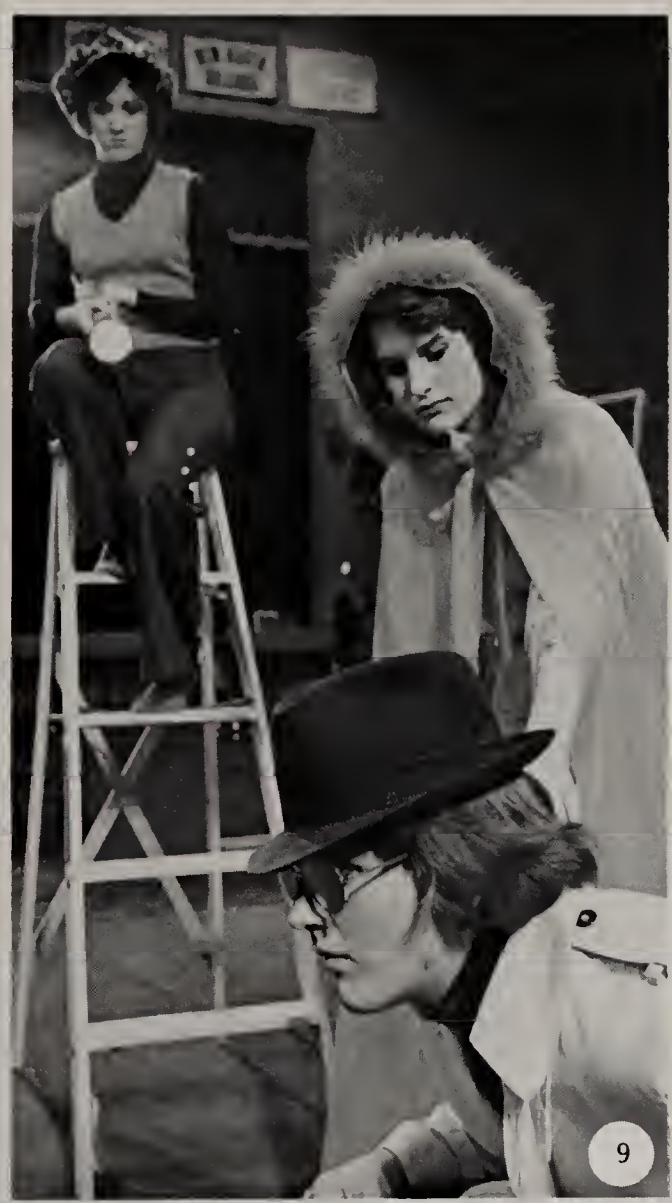
1. "Diane dear, what is that on your third finger, left hand?" 2. "You have visitors, Mr. Rockwall." 3. "Goodbye, Maisie." 4. "What's the problem lady, swallow a pegtooth?" 5. "Henceforth, I shall take all my trade to Macy's!" 6. Foreign student D. Hussell joined senior C. Baumgartner in the Central Park scene. 7. T. Conley served as a student director under Mrs. Rose. Kim Harty was also a student director as well as actress in the play. 8. Cast. 9. "My sister and I can be very stubborn also!" 10. "Guiseppe bops Soapy on the head for non-payment." 11. "Are you sure you won't come with me to Florida, Soapy?"

BHS COMBINES FOR ALL SCHOOL PLAY

The two Avant Garde style plays that were presented manifested social tendencies. McDonough tells the audience where humanity is going astray. His techniques lean toward chorus speakers, rhythms, split personalities, masks, and symbolic figures.

As an introduction to the plays, Nelson Broman defined the word "actor." "Fables" was structured in five playlets illustrating man's encounter with his environment and his fellowmen: The Clowns, The Genii, The Glutton, The Bogey, and The Drums.

In the play "Asylum", the company of players took the audience through a kaleidoscope, which focused on the extremes of society. Painfully and humorously, Jerome McDonough, presented humanity and its many faces: the judge, the weakling, the prosecutor, the calculator, the manipulator, and the nice guy.



1. Any type of excess in a society become absurd. 2. Miss Hilda Studebaker shows the type of expression that should be used. 3. Life has two faces; the other side of tragedy is comedy. 4. Make-up is applied to C. Blair and C. Daniels. 5. Bless your enemies; they show us who we are. 6. T. Higman, T. Dreyer, T. Colen and M. Carr worked the lighting and sound. 7. Group. 8. Justice demands the thinking of real persons. 9. Organization does not allow creativity in its society. 10. If one looks for the perfect, you may not find the real. 11. "Let me get in character." 12. Love and War.

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STUDENT INVOLVEMENT MAKES BHS LIFE SWING

School days, school days, good old golden rule days . . . reading . . . 'riting . . . 'rithmetic . . . homeroom . . . teachers . . . "You're late. Get a pass." . . . music . . . term papers . . . cramming for a text . . . convos . . . fire drills . . . honors and awards . . . prom . . . class rings . . . dances . . . Friday . . . classrooms . . . student council . . . school lunches . . . report cards . . . We're Number One . . . class plays . . . library . . . bus rides . . . mascot . . . 214 . . . roaming the halls . . . posters . . . pep sessions . . . study hall . . . homecoming . . . athletics . . . good times . . . skipping . . . clubs . . . 3:25.

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1. Mr. Roberson instructs his class how to follow his course syllabus. 2. Celebrate! Tigers are Number One. 3 Mr. Laws shows us that he is a man of many talents. 4. P. Kleinknight and M. Morrison watch the half-time activities. 5. Many good times are in the library with our friends. 6. The student body awaits another entertaining convocation. 7. Which one is the teacher? 8. K. Aschliman makes a mad dash for his next class. 9. Dan "the Morning Man" Collins from WMEE added to the celebration activities after the football championship. 10. The puppetry class, directed by Ms. Studebaker, presented shows to the student body.

BHS MAKES THE SCENE

1. B. Holsinger cuts a piece of the sectional championship net. 2. Everyone practice smiling before he gets his pictures taken. As D. Nicholson watches, K. Harty and A. Smith give a couple of samples to choose from. 3. Mr. Garton gives first aid to J. McDermit. 4. K. Claghorn shows everyone that he is the "jazz man." 5. BHS and Southern Wells students get to know each other better through a student exchange arranged by the administration of each school. 6. S. Schwartz questions, "What can I say?"

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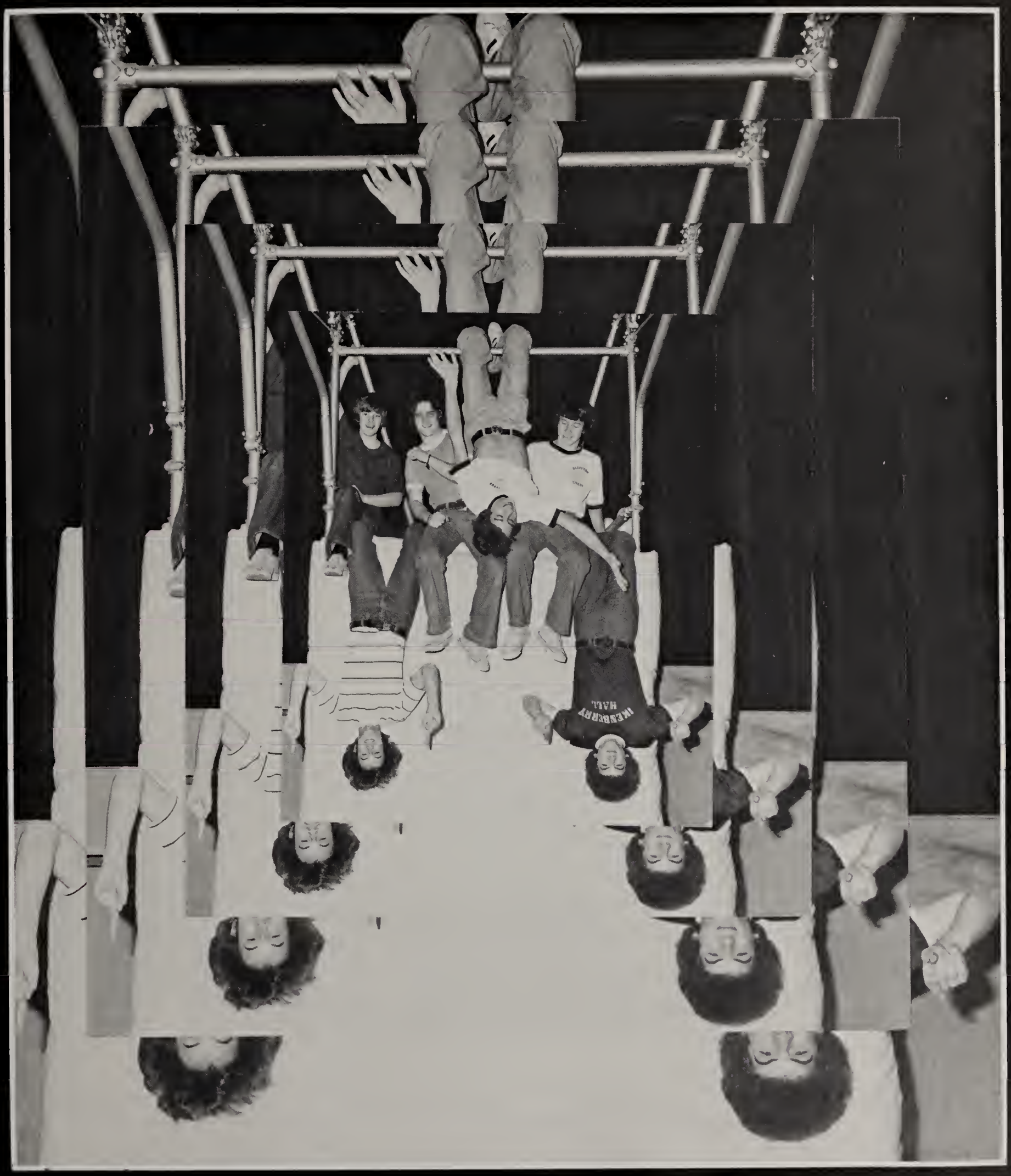

THESE ARE THE PEOPLE WHO MAKE BHS TICK

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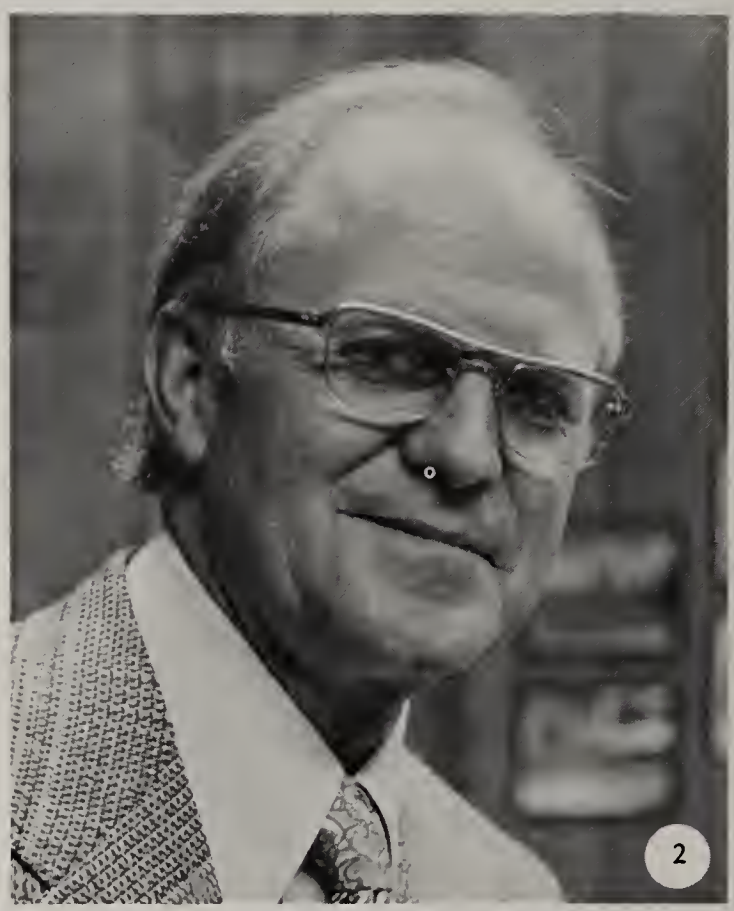
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A school needs qualified administrators in order to operate smoothly. Little do we realize the hard work that these people do. 1. The school board (Dr. Gitlin, Mr. Athan, Mr. Fritz, Mr. Higman, Mr. Carnall) reviews the final plans for the new auditorium. 2. All superintendents could use an assistant like Mr. Hauk. 3. Vice principal Edington checks into the matter. 4. Principal Laws takes time out from his busy schedule to pose for his picture. 5. Mrs. McAfee and Mrs. Jaskie handle the lunchroom money matters. 6. Mrs. Watters and Mrs. Gerber serve as our secretaries. 7. Mr. Thompson and Miss Baker look into the past record for guidance purposes. 8. Dr. Eiche became well acquainted with BHS during his first year of the superintendency.

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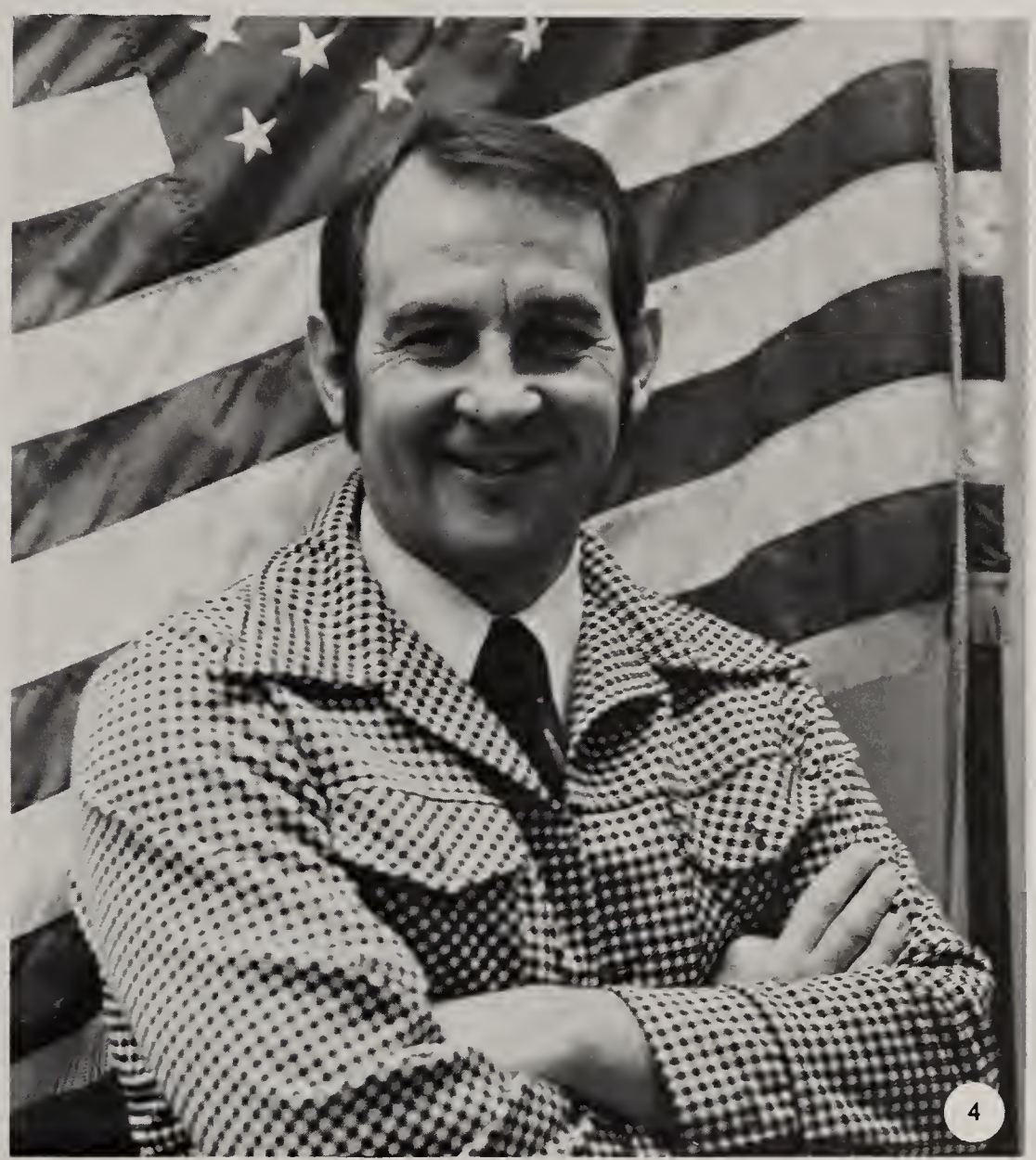
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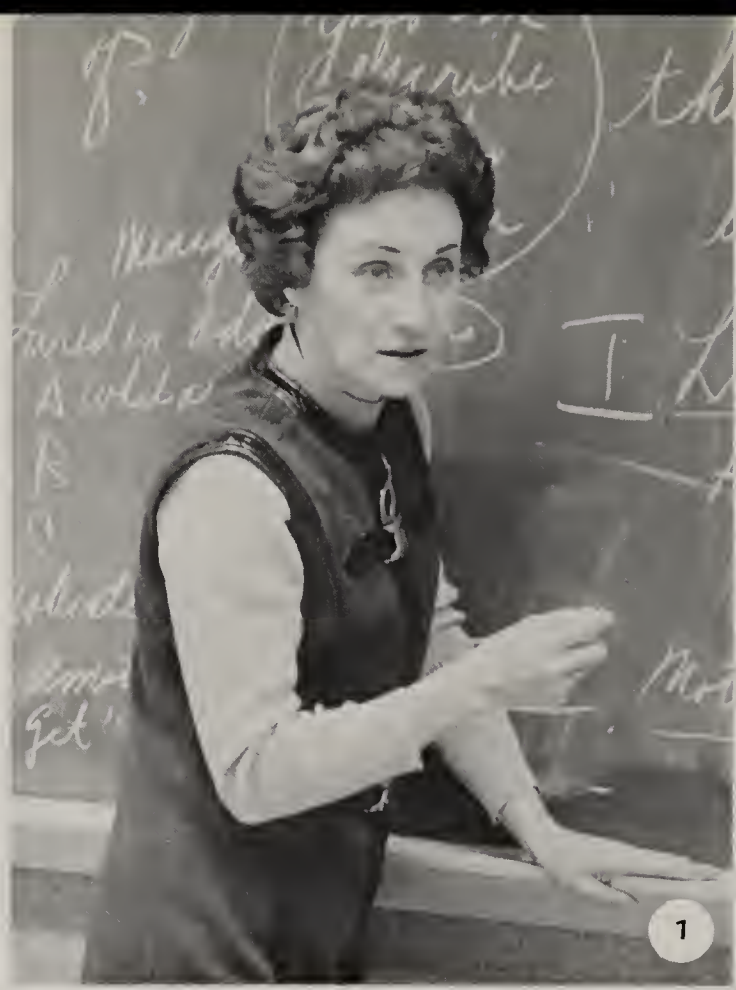

BLUFFTON HIGH FACULTY MAKES IT ALL HAPPEN

Teachers at Bluffton High School encourage students to be responsible people. 1. Miss Studebaker, BHS speech teacher, headed the Bicentennial Speaker's Bureau. 2. Mr. Brown and Mr. Bolinger converse during five minute breaks. 3. Mrs. Rose and Mrs. Smith plan an English course 4. Mr. Kummer, Mrs. Shipley, and Miss Kile get down to business. 5. Mr. Fischer, Mr. Oxenrider, and Mr. Kracium share some of the social science assignments. 6. Mr. Roth directs the mighty Marching Tigers assisted by Mr. Kantz. 7. Miss Naser, Mr. Broman, and Mr. Garton exchange pleasantries during lunch time. 8. Miss Huff directs the choir.

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TEACHERS SET STANDARDS HIGH ON BHS SCENE

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Although Bluffton teachers have busy schedules, they can find a few free moments to relax. 1. Mrs. Fritts and Mrs. Nash instruct future homemakers. 2. Mr. Vardaman looks over the industrial arts drawings. 3. Mr. Ballinger and Miss Berghoff visit during the class break. 4. Mr. Roberson and Mr. Burkhart get their daily exercise. 5. Mr. Soper teaches physical science and chemistry and serves as student activities director. 6. Mrs. Christian makes student research easy. 7. Mr. Shalley and Mrs. Thomas hablan español. 8. Mr. Cowan brings the Latin culture to life at Bluffton High.

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SERVICE STAFF HELPS BHS FUNCTION WELL

Mr. Spaid, Mr. Lockwood, Mr. Athan, Mr. Gross, Mr. Baumgartner, Mr. Rauch, Mr. Dotterer

Mrs. Hook

Nurse Davis

Mrs. Luginbill, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Hirschy, Mrs. Arnold, Mrs. Heller

Mr. Lantz, Mr. Frauhiger, Mr. Hart

Mrs. Luginbill, Mr. Murray, Mrs. Arnold

SOPHOMORES AWAIT 1978

C. Alfield
R. Allen
C. Anderson
G. Andrew
K. Andrews
S. Anspach
J. Archbold

R. Arnold
T. Baller
D. Barrick
T. Baumgartner
T. Baumgartner
P. Bayne
J. Blair

M. Bordner
K. Brewer
P. Bricker

B. Brown
K. Buckland
T. Bullock

R. Campbell
C. Carnall
M. Carnes

S. Carr
B. Claghorn
K. Claghorn

V. Clifton
B. Cline
T. Cobb

Sophomore class officers: President Troy Flowers, Vice President Todd Reimschisel, Secretary Lori Horn and Treasurer Angie Pettibone

J. Colen
C. Croy
B. Curry
A. Davis
S. Day
T. DeArmond
C. Dentel

B. Dudley
W. Dunphy
J. Dustman
C. Edington
J. Eltzroth
D. Evans
J. Farling

D. Fiechter
T. Flowers
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K. Foster
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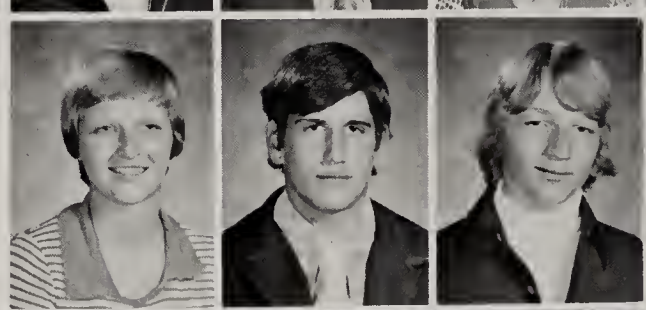
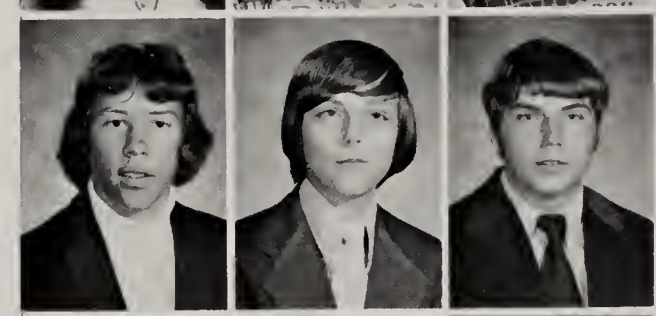
J. Gilgen



SOPHS GET THE JOB DONE

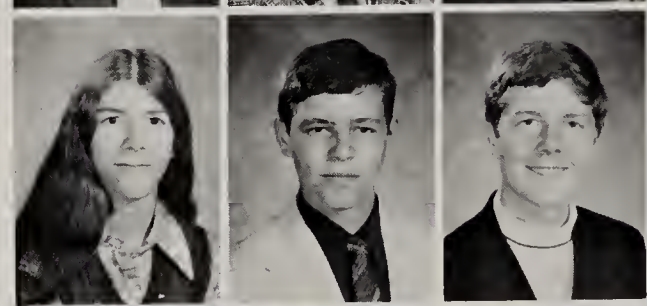
B. Ginter
L. Gobernatz
B. Grove

S. Grove
T. Hacha
T. Hacha



G. Hahn
B. Hall
L. Hall

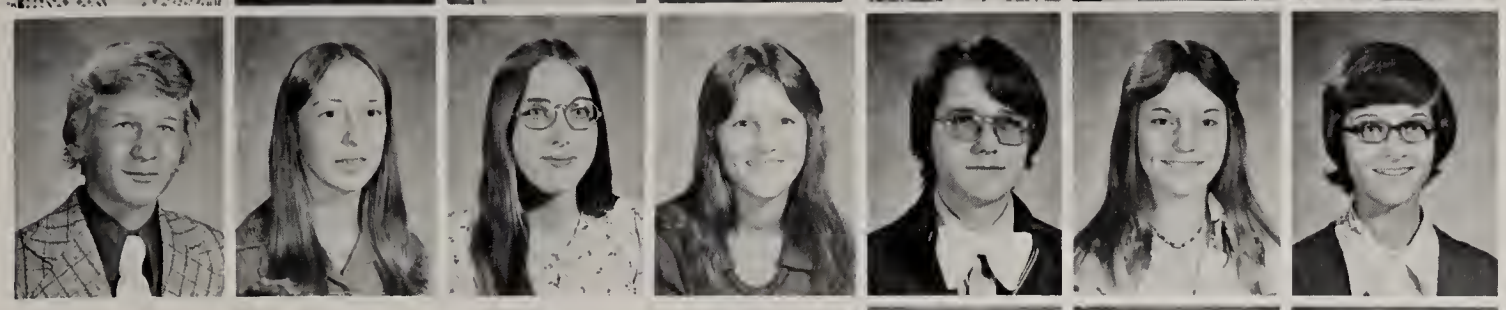
A. Harsh
S. Hartman
S. Hartman



D. Fiechter, BHS's Mr. Atlas, shows off his muscles.

K. Harty
L. Hawk
D. Heckman
P. Henderson
S. Higgins
M. Hinesley
L. Hite

R. Hollingsworth
M. Holsinger
L. Horn
M. Howdyshell
D. Hunnicutt
L. Ivins
J. James



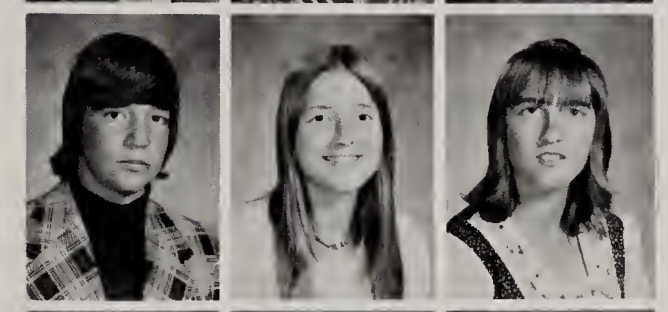
R. Jines
J. Johnson
P. Johnson
R. Johnson
J. Keller
J. Koenigseker
L. Liby

C. Anderson (ABOVE), J. Keller and B. Settle (BELOW) prove to BHS their real talent is eating.

M. Lohmuller
S. Lutz
J. Maller

R. Manley
M. Markley
M. Maulding

C. McArdle
J. McDermit
H. Melton



S. Mendenhall
K. Mercer
P. Miller

T. Minnich
J. Mohler
N. Moore

B. Moser
D. Murphy
M. Naderer
P. Neuenschwander
C. Oman
J. Osborn
C. Panos

BHS SOPHOMORES WORK TO FINISH THEIR TENTH YEAR

T. Pearson
T. Perry
A. Pettibone
J. Pfister
L. Pfister
R. Pommer
K. Prater

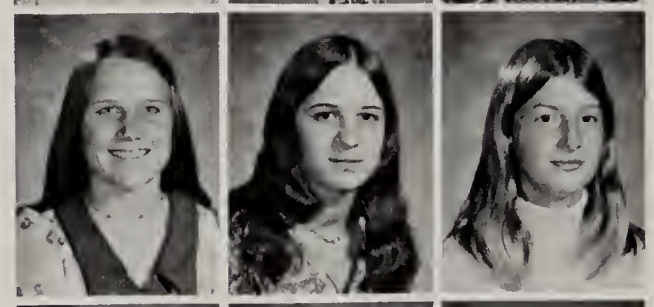
D. Quinones
M. Reeb
T. Reimschisel
M. Reinhard
T. Rich
M. Richardson
J. Risser

B. Rittenhouse
D. Runyon
J. Sands

D. Satterfield
L. Satterfield
T. Schaffter

T. Schlagenhauf
M. Schneider
A. Schnerre

M. Schott
A. Scott
M. Seese



B. Settle
J. Skurner
G. Smith

S. Smith
D. Squires
S. Stanton
B. Steffen
R. Steffen
D. Stidham
D. Stotlar

Mr. Schneider, (ABOVE) and T. Minnich (BELOW) keep up on their work.

B. Struver
D. Stultz
J. Sturgeon
K. Sullivan
P. Sutton
D. Swartz
L. Taylor

A. Thompson
D. Trueblood
R. Tuttle
K. VanZant
A. Vaughn
K. Vega
B. West

K. White
J. Williams
N. Williams
S. Wimmer
M. Wolfe

Not Pictured:
D. Costello
L. Harnish
J. Neuenschwander
D. Niblick
C. Osborn
J. Terhune

L. Hite, C. Croy, L. Edington, and D. Stultz listen intently to the home ec. lecture.

Sophomore geometry class relaxes before the last bell.

LEFT: Band . . . cheerblock . . . Latin . . . Y-Teens, sophomores spell ACTIVITY.

ABOVE: If S. Day's not studying, it's a good show.

WITH HIGH HOPES, BLUFFTON JUNIORS AWAIT THEIR FINAL YEAR

J. Adams
F. Aeschliman
C. Allen
L. Allen
K. Aschliman
T. Barnes
S. Barton

G. Bass
M. Batchelor
K. Bates
C. Beckler
C. Beeks
D. Bennett
J. Bertsch

L. Bertsch
T. Biberstein
C. Blair
B. Bradburn

J. Bradtmiller
B. Buckland
D. Burns
J. Byrd

S. Carnes
S. Christian
S. Coffield
S. Colen

M. Collins
J. Compton
C. Corle
T. Creason

ABOVE: Junior officers, president B. McArdle and secretary T. Troxel.

B. Crickard
Q. Curry
C. Daniels
M. Decker
L. Edington
M. Eiting
S. Falk

S. Farler
L. Feltt
J. Fetters
K. Fischer
M. Foreman
C. Frank
F. Fuller

C. Gavin
S. Geels
N. Goodwin
K. Hamilton
G. Harnish
T. Harter
J. Hawkins

J. Hay
T. Higman
J. Hildebrandt
S. Hite
L. Hochstedler
R. Holmes
M. Holsinger

ABOVE: Vice-president B. Myers and treasurer T. Irvin.

K. Hook
P. Horgan
N. House
T. Hughes

T. Hullinger
M. Hunnicutt
T. Irvin
C. Jackson

S. Johnson
S. Johnson
L. King
R. Kipfer

S. Kipfer
L. Kleinknight
B. Leamon
K. Lloyd

L. Lloyd
J. Lohmuller
S. Long
T. Longenberger
M. Lybarger
B. Markley
K. Masterson

S. May
T. Mayer
B. McArdle
A. McCord
K. McDermit
J. Meade
P. Meyer

BLUFFTON HIGH'S JUNIORS ARE DOING MORE AND LIKING IT

B. Miller
K. Morrison
E. Moser

J. Moser
D. Murray
G. Myers

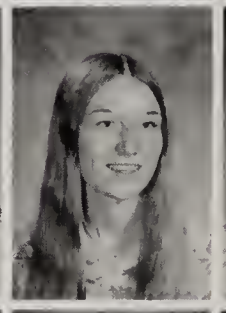
B. Myers
D. Nicholson
K. Nortin
B. O'Brien
R. Oliver
T. Oman
D. Osborn

G. Panos
K. Park
D. Pfister
P. Pfister
B. Quinones
J. Ramseyer
C. Reynolds

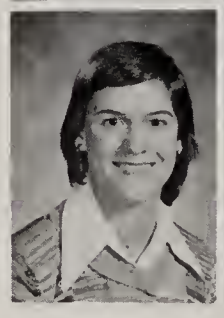
G. Rittenhouse
L. Schlagenhauf
L. Schnerre
D. Schocke
M. Schumm
K. Shady
C. Shaffer

T. Sills
C. Skurner
P. Sliger

J. Sparks
P. Stanton
K. Steffen



S. Steffen
J. Stevenson
A. Stout



Señor T. Sills models his sombrero.

Anybody ready for a snowball fight against these girls?

P. Strunk
S. Studebaker
S. Studebaker

T. Sundling
M. Taylor
R. Taylor

K. Terhune
C. Towne
T. Troxel

E. Ullman
S. Vaughn
T. Vice
C. Walburn
D. Wallace
J. Warthman
S. Wells

Not Pictured

S. Dedrick
K. Okey
R. Johnson
J. Wenger
J. Weterick
M. Williams
J. Yergler
C. Zello

L. Lloyd performs with his puppet.

J. Compton pins a corsage on S. Steffen.

Jan Aeschliman

Tammy Aschliman

Sam Barger

Ben Barton

SENIORS SET EXAMPLES FOR UNDERCLASSMEN

Senior class officers were president M. Carr, vice-president M. Makowski, secretary L. Steckbeck, treasurer P. Nowak.

Jim Batchelor

Claudia Bayne

Jean Bergman

Jeff Bowman

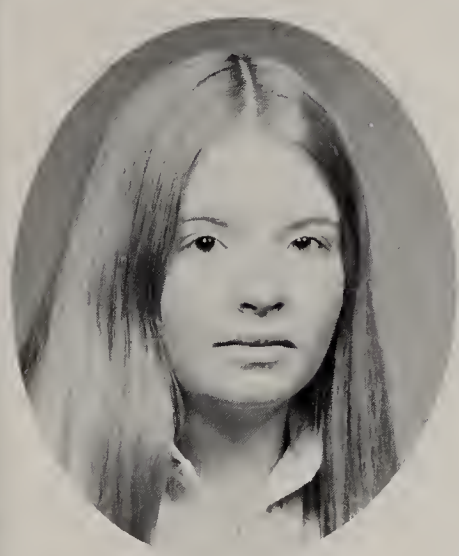
SENIORS EXCEL IN SPORTS AND DISPLAY THEIR MANY TALENTS

Memories of . . . seniors . . . homecoming . . . NEIAC football champs . . . a night of O'Henry . . . initiation . . . picnic . . . NEIAC tennis champs . . . work release . . . dances . . . econ . . . cadet teaching . . . memory books . . . class keys . . . spirit stick every time . . . rowdie . . . band champs . . . parties . . . announcements . . . heavy team . . . sectional champs . . . senior days . . . tigers . . . regional . . . last prom . . . futures . . . class day . . . baccalaureate . . . graduation . . . the class of 76 . . .

Seniors peer to see if the coast is clear.

Jerry Boxell

Nelson Broman



Bev Burns

Mike Carr

Debi Claghorn

Linda Cobbum

Tim Colen

Tony Collins

Mark Collins

Gary Compton

SENIORS REACH HIGH, PLANNING FUTURE

Teresa Conley

Curt Corle

Jim Craft

Shirley Cully

Sherri Davis

Scott Day

Dave Dedrick

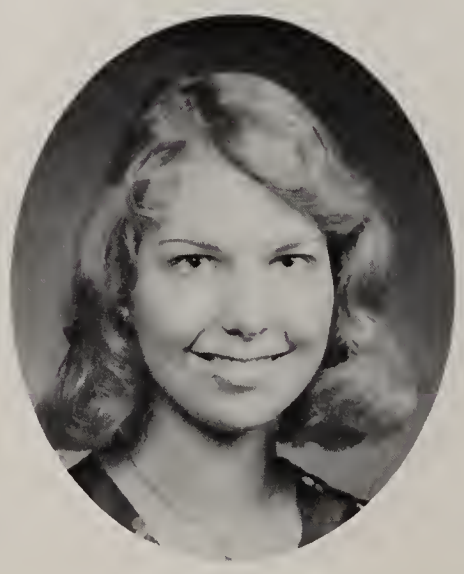
It was supposed to be a pyramid!

Doug Dohrman

Susan Dotterer

Tim Dreyer

Doug Dunwiddie


Julie Dunwiddie

Kim Edington

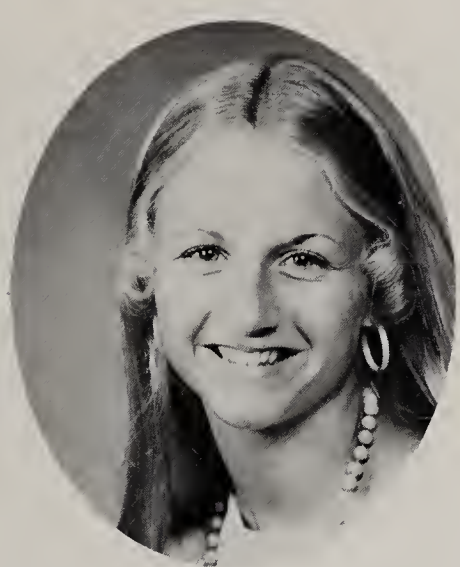
Karen Ehrsam

Virginia Eiting

Peggy Ellenberger

Rick Ellenberger

Hank Esmond


Barb Fair

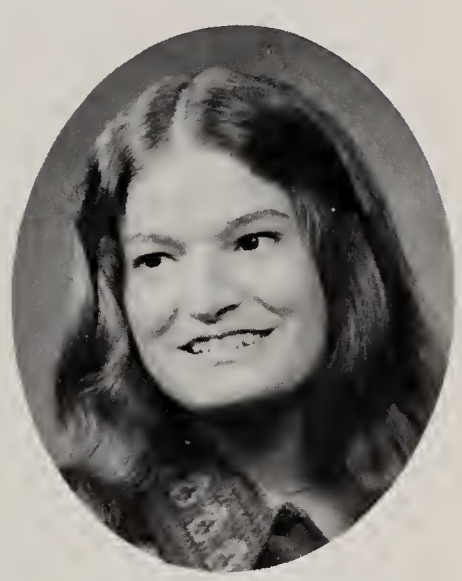
Tim Flowers

Debra Fulton

Ann Gentis

Brenda Gentis

Brent Gerber

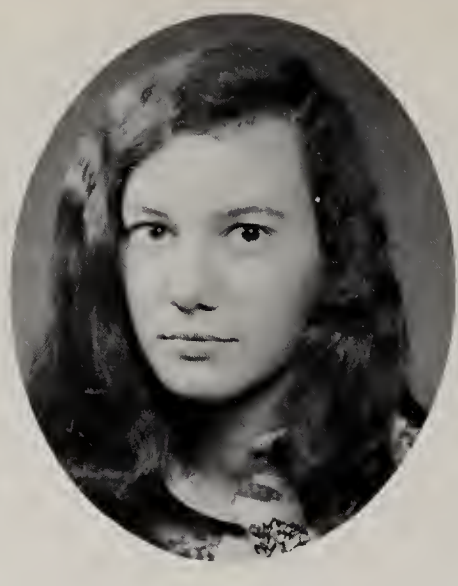

Marsha Gerber

Seniors round out a successful year!

Tim Gerber

Dick Gilliom

J. Haecker ponders his next assignment.



Susan Gitlin

Mike Graves

John Haecker

Kinorea Hall

Amy Hamilton

K. Stidham, B. Hunnicutt and C. Stanton begin another school day.

Glenda Harnish

Mike Harris

Keith Harter

Kim Harty

Cynthia Harvey

Judith Harvey

'76 '76 THAT'S THE YEAR WE CALL IT QUITS. YEA RAH, SENIORS!

Rebecca Hawkins

Sam Hirschy

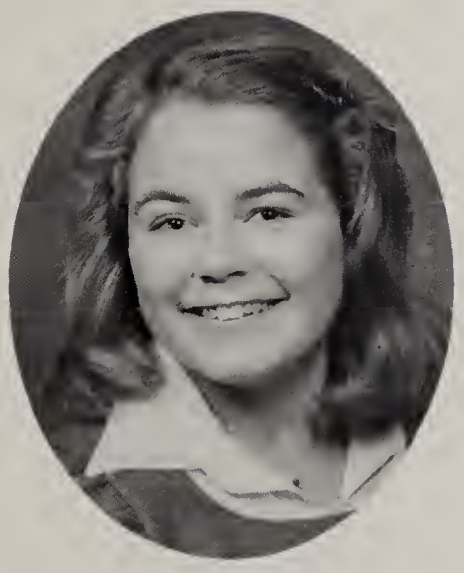
Brent Holsinger

Paula Horn

Dana Hudgins

Patrick Humerickhouse

Beth Hunnicutt


Desiree Husell

Rosyleen Jacobs

Ed Janes

J. Aeschliman, M. Gerber, S. Davis and C. Harvey meander toward the lunchroom.

Timothy Kinsey

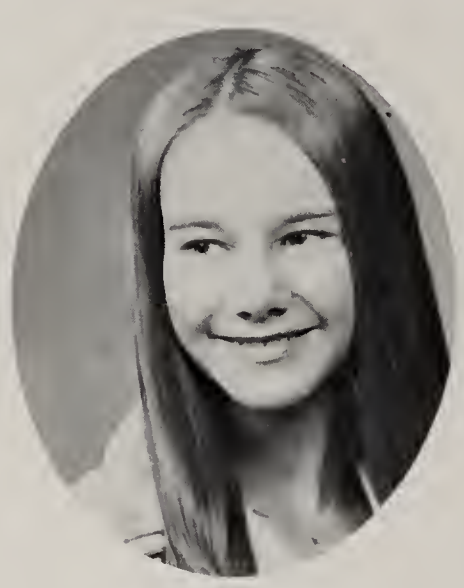
SENIORS SOON REALIZED MISSION POSSIBLE

Floyd Kipfer

Phillip Kleinknight

Lanae Knowles

Cynthia Lautzenheiser



Brenda Leimgruber

Mark Luginbill

Mark Makowski

M. Risser takes a break from econ class to have his picture taken.

Kent Markley

Tracey Markley

Steve Maulding

Sharon Maynard

Elizabeth Mayock

Cynthia Melton

J. Harvey and S. Johnson realize school is not so bad when you're a senior!

Mark Meyer

Richard Miller

Joe Minnich

Lucy Moon

Mike Morrison

Defensive lineman Gerber gains position on North — South All Star team.

Pamela Nowak

Tim Oswalt

Paul Perry

Devon Poindexter

Jerry Pond

Laura Powell

Doyle Reinhard

Robin Riley

Mark Risser

Mike Robles

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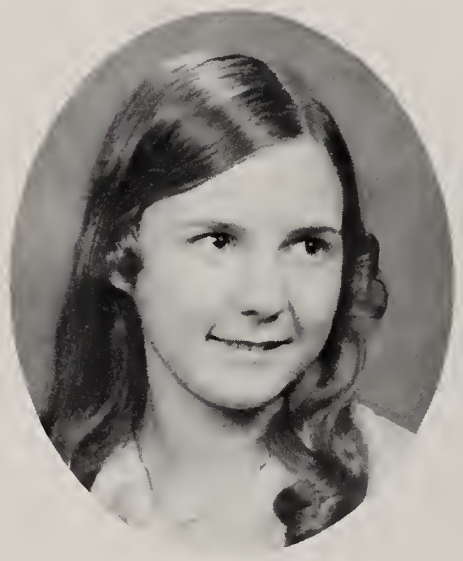
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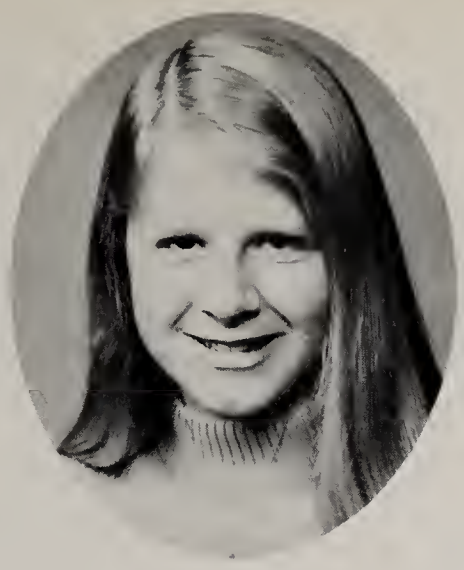
Beverly Shaft

Bruce Skiles



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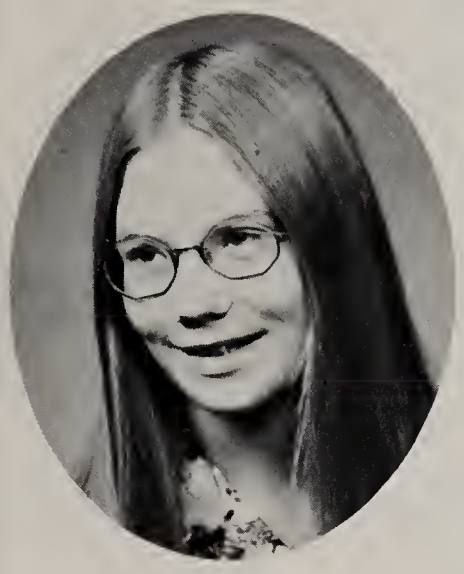


Carol Stanton

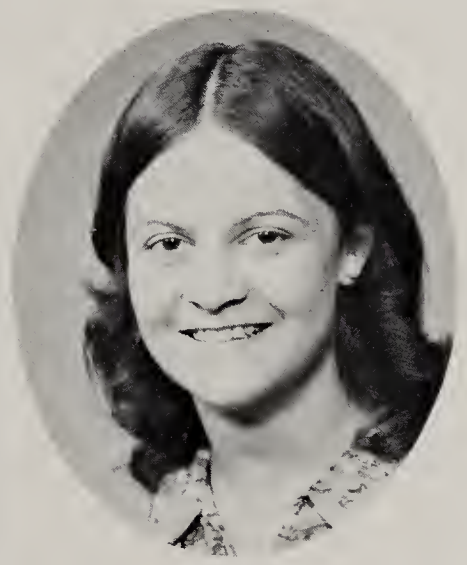
Leslie Steckbeck

Alan Steffen

Amy Steffen

SENIORS MOVE ON

BHS hopes that Desiree Husell, a student from Finland, enjoyed her year here as much as the student body enjoyed having her.



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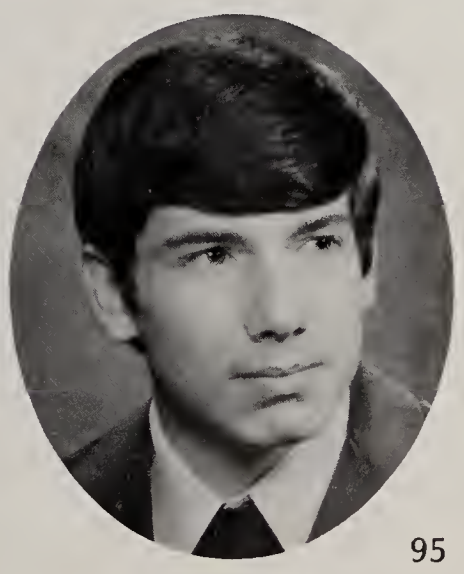

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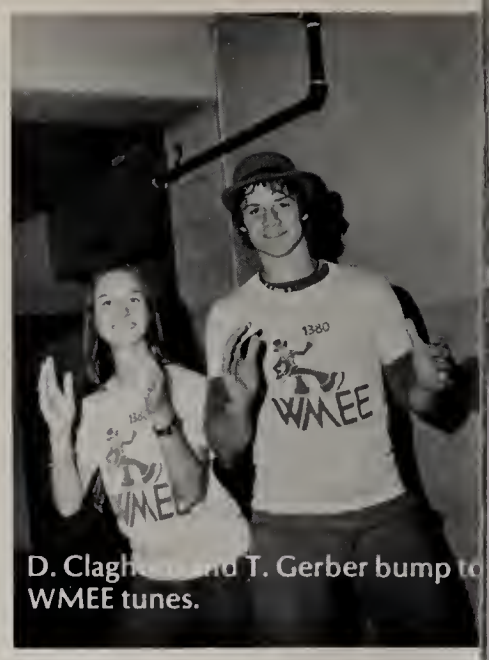
Ellen Vaughn

Frank Warrington



D. Clagh[illegible] and T. Gerber bump to WMEE tunes.

Judith Wenger

Brian Wetters

Brenda White

Rick Wolfe

Randy Workman

Scott Worthington

Marshall Zoll

Carol Baumgartner

J. S[illegible] [illegible]der test their [illegible]istic abili[illegible]

Kris Frauhiger

Shirley Johnson

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-ONE SENIORS TURN THEIR TASSELS

The ninety-fourth BHS graduating class turned their tassels along with valedictorian Susan Dotterer and salutatorian Dick Gilliom. The final events of baccalaureate, class day, and commencement will be the end of a number of relationships and experiences. The memories of our high school days will never disappear.

GRADUATES HONORED ON CLASS DAY

1. Ten seniors were chosen for awards and scholarships. These include M. Luginbill, Lions Club Scholarship; T. Gerber and J. Bergman, American Legion Award; P. Ellenberger, Associate Tri Kappa Art Award; S. Dotterer, Psi Iota Xi Scholarship Plaque and P.T.A. Scholarship Grant; R. Miller, Kiwanis Merit Award; L. Sallach, P.A. Allen Memorial Award; S. Dany, Emshwiller Cup; J. Bergman, Wells County Foundation Scholarship. Not pictured are C. Reed, Sigma Phi Gamma; S. Davis, Tri Kappa Scholarship. 2. Awards are abandoned in the excitement of picture taking. 3. These seniors won perfect attendance awards: for four years, J. Bowman and M. Luginbill; three years, D. Gilliom, P. Runyon and K. Smith; two years, L. Powell, and one year J. Bergman. 4. L. Nelson waits impatiently before the line-up for class day. 5. We are almost there! 6. The State of Indiana named 37 BHS Hoosier Scholars. 7. The class of '76 listens attentively during class day.

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SENIOR DIRECTORY

ADAMS, JEFF: General.
AESCHLIMAN, JAN: General. GAA 10; Spanish Club 10; Y-Teens 10; Basketball 10; Scholastic Award 10, 11, 12; National Honor Society 12; Hoosier Scholar.
ASCHLIMAN, TAMMY: Business. Spanish Club 10; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; OEA 11, Vice Pres. 11; Class Play 11; Homecoming Court 10; Cheerblock 12.

BARGER, SAM: Industrial Arts.
BARTON, BEN: General. Swing Choir 12; NISBOVA Music Contest 12.
BATCHELOR, JIM: General. Golf 10,11; Intramurals — Basketball 10, 11, 12.
BAUMGARTNER, CAROL: General. GAA 10, 11, 12; Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Dabblers 11, 12; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; Class Play 11, 12; Cheerblock 12; Gymnastics 10.
BAYNE, CLAUDIA: General.
BERGMAN, JEAN: Academic. Latin Club 10, 11, 12, Vice-Pres. 11, Treas. 12; Y-Teens 11, 12; Jazz Ensemble 11, 12; National Honor Society 11, 12, Sec. 12; Scholastic Award 10, 11, 12; Hoosier Scholar; State NISBOVA Contest 12; American Legion Award; Wells County Foundation Scholarship; 1 yr. Attendance Award.
BOWMAN, JEFF: General. Football 10, 11, 12; 4-yr. Attendance Award.
BOXELL, JERRY: Industrial Arts. Class Play 11.
BROMAN, NELSON: Academic. Track 10, 11; Latin Club 10, 11; Dabblers 11, 12. Vice-Pres. 12; Class Play 11, 12; Senior Rotarian 12, Alternate; Student Council 12; Homecoming Court, Escort 10; Hoosier Scholar.
BURNS, BEV: General. Dabblers 11, 12; National Honor Society 12.

CARR, MIKE: Academic. Comet Editor; Sectional Comet Managing Editor; Basketball 10, 11, 12; Track 10, 11, 12; Football 10, 11, 12; Class Play 11, 12; Student Council 12, Pres. 12; Stage Technician; Senior Rotarian 12; Class Officer, Pres. 10, 11, 12; Helmet Award, Honorary Football Captain; Ferguson Trophy; Hoosier Scholar; Prom King.
CLAGHORN, DEBI: Academic. Retrospect Photography & Layout Editor; Comet Editor; GAA 10, 11, 12; Latin Club 10, 11, 12; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; Class Play 11, 12; Color Guard 10, 11, 12; Prom Escort 11; Scholastic Award 10; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12; Gymnastics 10, 11; Student Council 11; Hoosier Scholar.
COBBUM, LINDA: General. Latin Club 10; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; Hoosier Scholar.
COLEN, TIM: General. Basketball 10, 11, 12; Track 10, 11, 12; Cross Country 10, 11, 12; Class Play 11, 12; Stage Technician 10, 11, 12; Student Council 10; Homecoming Court, Escort 12; Service Award.
COLLINS, MARK: Academic. Track 10; Tennis 10, 11; Jazz Ensemble 10, 11, 12; Class Play 12.
COMPTON, GARY: General. Track 10, 11, 12; Cross Country 10, 11; Jazz Ensemble 10, 11, 12; John Phillips Sousa Award 12; State NISBOVA Music Contest 11, 12.
CONLEY, TERESA: General. GAA 10; Spanish Club 10, 11; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; Class Play Student Director 11, 12; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12; Hoosier Scholar.
CORLE, CURT: General. Baseball 10.
CRAFT, JIM: General. Track 10; Dabblers 10, 11, 12; Intramurals — Basketball 10, 12; Stage Technician 11.
CULLY, SHIRLEY: Business. OEA 11, 12.

DAVIS, SHERRI: General. Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Cheerblock 12; National Honor Society 12; Tri Kappa Scholarship.
DAY, SCOTT: General. Retrospect Competition Editor, Comet Managing Editor; Basketball Mgr. 10, 11; Track Mgr. 10, 11; Tennis 11; Cross Country Mgr. 10; Spanish Club 10; Class Play 11, 12; Intramurals — Basketball 10, 11, 12, Captain 12; Senior Rotarian 12; Homeroom Rep. 12; Boys' State 12; Scholastic Award 10, 11, 12; Quill and Scroll 12, Gov't. Day 12; National Honor Society 12; Hoosier Scholar; Emshwiller Cup.
DEDRICK, DAVE: General. Basketball 10; Football 10; Intramurals — Basketball 12.
DOHRMAN, DOUG: General. Basketball 10, 11, 12; Tennis 10, 11, 12; Baseball 11, 12.
DOTTERER, SUSAN: General Retrospect Managing Editor; Comet Editor; Latin Club 10, 11, 12; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; Class Play 11, 12; National Honor Society 11, 12, Pres. 12; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12; Student Council 11, 12; Girls' State 11; Scholastic Award 10, 11, 12; Betty Crocker Future Homemaker Award; Govt. Day 12; Quill and Scroll 12; Valedictorian; Hoosier Scholar; P.T.A. Scholarship Grant; Psi Iota Xi Scholarship Plaque.
DREYER, TIM: Academic. Comet Editor; Literary Composite Editor; Basketball 10, 11, 12; Track 10, 11, 12; Football 10, 11, 12; Latin Club 10, 11, 12; Class Play 11, 12; Stage Technician 12; Robert Hannie Award 11; Baumgartner Trophy; Bob Ulmer Award; Athletic Blanket Award; Hoosier Scholar.
DUNWIDDIE, DOUG: General. Track 10, 11; Football 10, 11; Intramurals — Basketball 10, 11.
DUNWIDDIE, JULIE: General. Spanish Club 12; Y-Teens 10, 11; Swing Choir 10; Jazz Ensemble 10, 11, 12; Class Play 12; Drum Majorette 11, 12; State NISBOVA Music Contest 10, 11; Scholastic Award 10, 11, 12; National Honor Society 12; Hoosier Scholar.

EDINGTON, KIM: Industrial Arts. Track 10; Stage Technician 10, 12; Service Award.
EHRSAM, KAREN: General. GAA 10, 11; Spanish Club 10, 11; Dabblers 10, 11, 12; Thespians 10, 11, 12; Cheerleader 10, 11, 12, National Honor Society 11, 12; Gymnastics 10, 11; Girls' State, first alternate; Scholastic Award 10, 11, 12; Psi Ote Ring 11; Hoosier Scholar; Prom Court.
EITING, VIRGINIA: General. Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; FHA 10, 11; Devotional Leader 11.
ELLENBERGER, RICK: Industrial Arts.
ELLENBERGER, PEGGY: General. Retrospect Lay-out Editor; Literary Composite Lay-out Editor; Comet Page Editor; Tennis 12; GAA 10, 11, 12, Sports' Head 12; Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Dabblers 10, 11, 12; Thespians 10; Y-Teens 10, 12; FHA 12; Color Guard 10, 11; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12; Volleyball 10, 11, 12; Gymnastics 10; Golf 11, 12; Associate Tri-Kappa Art Award.
ESMOND, HANK: General. Golf 10,11.

FAIR, BARB: General. Tennis 11, 12; GAA 10, 11, 12; Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; FHA 12; Cheerleader 10, 11, 12, Color Guard 10; National Honor Society 11, 12; Volleyball 10, 11, 12; Gymnastics 10, 11, 12; Golf 11, 12; Scholastic Award 10, 11, 12; GAA 10, 11 Hoosier Scholar.
FLOWERS, TIM: General. Basketball 10; Track 10; Football 10, 12; Baseball 10; Student Council 10; Intramurals — Basketball 11, 12.
FRAUHIGER, KRIS: Industrial Arts.
FULTON, DEBBIE: Academic. Comet Editor; Literary Composite Editor; GAA 10; Y-Teens 10, 11; Cheerleader 10, 11, 12, National Honor Society 12; Gymnastics 10; Scholastic Award 10; Quill & Scroll 12; Gov't. Day 12; Hoosier Scholar.

GAUNT, GREG: General.
GENTIS, ANN: Business. Spanish Club 11, 12, Sec. 12; Y-Teens 11, 12, Treas. 12; OEA 11, 12, Treas. 12; Homecoming Queen 12; Cheerblock 11, 12.
GENTIS, BRENDA: General. GAA 10, 11, 12; Spanish Club 10, 11, 12, Vice-Pres. 11, Pres. 12; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12, Sec. 12; OEA 12, Sec. 12; Class Play 11; Color Guard 10, 11; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12, Tiger 12; Volleyball 10, 12; Gymnastics 10; Scholastic Award 10, 11, 12; National Honor Society 12; Hoosier Scholar.
GERBER, BRENT: General. Baseball, Mgr. 10, 11.
GERBER, MARSHA: Business. Y-Teens 10; OEA 11, 12, Parl. 11, Historian 12.
GERBER, TIM: Academic. Comet Editor; Basketball 10, 11, 12; Track 12; Football 10, 11, 12; Baseball 12; Prom Escort 11; Senior Rotarian; Homeroom Rep. 10, 11; National Athletic Scholarship Award; American Legion Award; Athletic Blanket Award; Hoosier Scholar.

GILLIOM, DICK: General. Class Play 11, 12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Intramurals — Basketball 11: Scholastic Award 10, 11, 12; Hoosier Scholar; 3 yr. Attendance Award; Salutatorian.
GITLIN, SUSAN: Academic. Retrospect Friends Editor, Comet Editor; GAA 10, 11, 12; Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; Class Play Student Director 11; Color Guard 11, 12; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12; Basketball 10, 11, 12; Scholastic Award 10, 11; National Honor Society 12; Hoosier Scholar.
GRAVES, MIKE: Academic. Football Mgr. 10, 11, 12; Jazz Ensemble 11, 12; NISBOVA Music Contest 12.

HAECKER, JOHN: General. Comet Editor; Latin Club 10; Class Play 11, 12; Homecoming Court, Anouncer 12; Quill and Scroll 12; Hoosier Scholar.
HALL, KIM: General. Tennis 12; GAA 11; Spanish Club 11, 12; Latin Club 11, 12; Y-Teens 11, 12; Cheerblock 11, 12; Scholastic Award 12; American Lung Association Award.
HAMILTON, AMY: General. GAA 10, 11, 12, Vice-Pres. 11, Pres. 12; Latin Club 10, 11, 12, Vice-Pres. 11; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; Cheerleader, Reserve 11; Student Council 12, Sec. 12; Cheerblock 10, 12; Volleyball 10, 11, 12; Gymnastics 10,11; National Honor Society 12; Hoosier Scholar.
HARNISH, GLENDA: General. Y-Teens 10.
HARRIS, TONY: General. Football 12; Intramurals — Basketball 11, 12.
HARSHMAN, JEFF: Industrial Arts.
HARTER, KEITH: General. Basketball 10; Intramurals — Basketball 11, 12.
HARTY, KIM: General. Retrospect Managing Editor; Comet Editor; GAA 10; Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; FHA 12; Class Play 11, 12; Color Guard 11, 12; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12; Student Council 12; Quill and Scroll 12; Hoosier Scholar.
HARVEY, CYNTHIA: General. Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Dabblers 11, 12.
HARVEY, JUDY: General. GAA 10, 11, 12; Dabblers 10, 11, 12; Y-Teens 12; OEA 11, 12; FHA 12; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12; Gymnastics 10, 11.
HAWKINS, BECKY: General. GAA 11; Spanish Club 10; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; Class Play 11; Cheerblock 10, 11.
HIRSCHY, SAM: General. Basketball Mgr. 10; Track Mgr. 10; Tennis Mgr. 10; Dabblers 11, 12; Intramurals — Basketball 10, 11, 12.
HOLSINGER, BRENT: General. Basketball 10, 11, 12; Football 10, 11, 12; Dabblers 12.
HORN, PAULA: Academic. Retrospect Participation Editor, Comet Editor; GAA 10, 11, 12; Thespians 12; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; Class Play 11, 12; Prom Escort 11; Student Council 12, Treas. 12; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12;

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Volleyball 11; American Legion Award; Scholastic Award 11; Hoosier Scholar.
HUDGINS, DANA: Industrial Arts.
HUMERICKHOUSE, PAT: General. Cross Country 10; Golf 10, 11; Intramurals — Basketball 12.
HUNNICUTT, BETH: Business. Dabblers 12; Y-Teens 11; OEA 11, 12; Cheerblock 12.
HUSELL, DESIREE: General. Tennis 12; GAA 12; Dabblers 12; Thespians 12; Y-Teens 12; FHA 12; Class Play 12; Cheerblock 12; Volleyball 12; Bowling 12.

JACOBS, ROSIE: General. GAA 10, 11; Cheerblock 10.
JANES, ED: General.
JOHNSON, SHIRLEY: General. FHA 11, Sec. 11; Cheerblock 11, 12.

KINSEY, TIM: General. Intramurals — Basketball 12.
KIPFER, FLOYD: General. Intramurals — Basketball 10, 11, 12.
KLEINKNIGHT, PHIL: General. Baseball 11, 12; Homecoming Court Escort 12; Intramurals — Bowling 10, 11, 12, Basketball 11, 12; Student Council 12.
KNOWLES, LANAE: General.

LAUTZENHEISER, CYNTHIA: General. Comet Editor; GAA 10, 11, 12; Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Dabblers 10; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; FHA 12, Pres. 12; Class Play 11; Color Guard 10, 11, 12; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12; Volleyball 11; Golf 12; Bowling 12; Student Council 12.
LEIMGRUBER, BRENDA: General. Dabblers 11, 12; Y-Teens 12; Cheerblock 10, 11.
LUGINBILL, MARK: Academic. Comet Editor; Baseball 10, 11, 12; Class Play 11, 12; Prom Escort 11; Intramurals — Bowling 10, 11, 12, Capt. 12; Intramurals — Basketball 10, 11, 12, Capt. 12; Senior Rotatian; Boys' State 11; National Honor Society 12; Hoosier Scholar; Lions Club Scholarship; 4 yr. Attendance Award.

MAKOWSKI, MARK: General. Football 10, 11, 12; Golf 10; Prom Escort 11; Intramurals — Basketball 10, 11, 12, Capt. 12; Stage Technician 11; Senior Rotarian; Student Council 10, 11; Class Officer, Vice-Pres. 11, 12; Scholastic Award 10, 11, 12; National Honor Society 12; Hoosier Scholar.
MARKLEY, KENT: General. Football 10, 11; Intramurals — Basketball 11, 12.
MARKLEY, TRACY: General. Track 10.
MAYNARD, SHARON: General. Retrospect Involvement Editor; Comet Editor; GAA 10, 11, 12, Sports' Head 11, Treas. 12; Latin Club 10, 11, Sec. 11; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12, Vice-Pres. 11, Pres. 12; OEA 12; Color Guard 10, 11, 12; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12, Co-Captain 11, 12; Hoosier Scholar.
MAYOCK, ELIZABETH: General. Tennis 12; GAA 10; Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Dabblers 11, 12; Y-Teens 10, 12; Color Guard 11, 12; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12.
McCARTNEY, KEN: General.
MELTON, CINDY: General. Cheerblock 10, 11.
MEYER, MARK: General. Tennis 10; Baseball 11; Latin Club 10; Intramurals — Basketball 11; Homeroom Rep. 11; Hoosier Scholar.
MILLER, RICK: General. Track 11, 12; Cross Country 10, 12; Homecoming Court Escort 12; Kiwanis Merit Award.
MINNICH, JOE: General. Basketball Mgr. 11; Tennis 10, 11, 12; Baseball Mgr. 10; Homecoming Court Attendant 12; Intramurals — Basketball 10, 11, 12.
MOON, LUCY: General. Dabblers 11, 12.
MORRISON, MIKE: General. Golf 11; Dabblers 11; Intramurals — Bowling 10, 11, 12.

NELSON, LORI: General. FHA 10; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12.
NOWAK, PAM: General. Retrospect Friends Editor; Comet Editor; GAA 10; Latin Club 10, 11, Sec. 11; Dabblers 11; Y-Teens 10, 12; Class Play 11, 12; Color Guard 11; Homecoming Court 11, 12; Prom Escort 11; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12; Student Council 10, 12; Class Officer 10, 11, 12, Sec. 10, Treas. 11, 12; Prom Court.

OSWALT, TIM: General. Football 10, 11, 12; Baseball 11; Class Play 11, 12; Intramurals — Basketball 10, 11, 12; Class Officer 10, Vice-Pres. 10.

PERRY, PAUL: General.
POINDEXTER, DEVON: General. GAA 10; Spanish Club 10; Thespians 10, 11, 12, Scribe 11, Pres. 12; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; Swing Choir 10, 11; Class Play 11; Student Council 12; Cheerblock 10; NISBOVA Music Contest 11.
POND, JERRY: General. Tennis 10; Dabblers 10; Intramurals — Basketball 10, 11, 12.
POWELL, LAURA: General. Y-Teens 11, 12; Office Help 11, 12; Cheerblock 10, 11; 2 yr. Attendance Award.

REED, CHERYL: General. Sigma Phi Gamma Award.
REINHARD, DOYLE: General.
RILEY, ROBIN: General.
RISSER, MARK: General. Tennis 10, 11, 12; Jazz Ensemble 10; Intramurals — Basketball 10, 11, 12; Hoosier Scholar.
ROBLES, MICHAEL: General. Basketball 10, 11; Track 10; Football 10,11.
RUNYON, PAT: Academic. Football 10, 11, 12; Baseball 10, 11; Class Play 11; Intramurals — Basketball 11, 12, Capt. 12; 3 yr. Attendance Award.

SALLACH. LISA: General. Retrospect Business Editor; Comet Managing Editor; Latin Club 10, 11, 12; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12, NISBOVA Music Contest 12; Swing Choir 10, 11, 12; National Honor Society 11, 12, Vice-Pres. 12; Student Council 11, Sec. 11; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12; Class Play Business Mgr. 12; Scholastic Award 10, 11, 12; DAR Good Citizen Award 12; Quill and Scroll 12; Hoosier Scholar; P.A. Allen Mem. Award.
SATTERFIELD, CHERYL: Business. GAA 10; Dabblers 10, 11; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; OEA 11, 12; FHA 12; Class Play 12; Color Guard 11; Office Help 12; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12.
SCHNEIDER, TONY: General. Basketball 10; Football 10, 11, 12; Baseball 10, 11; Class Play 11; Intramurals — Basketball 12; Senior Rotarian; Hoosier Scholar; Prom Court.
SCHOOLEY, TERESA: Academic. Tennis 12; GAA 10, 12; Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Thespians 12; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; Swing Choir 11, 12; Class Play 12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12; Basketball 10; Bowling 12; Scholastic Award 10, 11, 12; Gov't. Day 12; Hoosier Scholar, NISBOVA Music Contest 12.
SCHROLUCKE, TWYLA: General. GAA 10, 11, 12; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; OEA 12; FHA 10, 11, 12; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12; Basketball 10; Bowling 12.
SCHWARTZ, SID: General. Track 10; Cross Country 10, 11, 12, Capt. 12; Intramurals — Basketball 10, 11, 12.
SETTLE, LORI: Business. Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; OEA 11, 12, Pres. 12; FHA 12, Vice-Pres. 12; Office Help 12; Cheerblock 11; Hoosier Scholar.
SHAFT, BEV: General. Latin Club 10; Y-Teens 10, 12; FHA 12; Class Play 11; Cheerblock 12; Hoosier Scholar.
SKILES, BRUCE: General. Comet Editor 12; Basketball 10, 11, 12; Tennis 10, 11, 12; Golf 10, 11, 12; Baseball 11, 12; Senior Rotarian; Quill and Scroll 12; Circle "B" Blanket Award; Hoosier Scholar.
SMITH, AMY: Business. Retrospect Business Editor; Comet Editor; GAA 10; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; OEA 11, 12; FHA 12; Class Play 11; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12; Gymnastics 10; Homecoming Court, Announcer 12.
SMITH, KATHY: Academic. Tennis 12; GAA 10, 11, 12; Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Y-Teens 11, 12; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12; Volleyball 11, 12; Gymnastics 10; Hoosier Scholar; 3 yr. Attendance Award; NISBOVA Music Contest 12.
SQUIRES, PANDY: General. Retrospect Involvement Editor; Comet Editor; Latin Club 10; Y-Teens 10, 11, 12; OEA 12; Jazz Ensemble 10, 11; Class Play 12; Office Help 12; Student Council 10, 11, 12, Vice-Pres. 12; Cheerblock 12.
STANTON, CAROL: General. Spanish Club 10; Dabblers 12; Y-Teens 10; OEA 12; Cheerblock 12.

STECKBECK, LESLIE: General. Retrospect Participation Editor; Comet Editor; GAA 10; Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Y-Teens 10, 12; Class Play 12; Color Guard 11; Homecoming Court 12; Prom Escort 11; Office Help 11; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12; Class Officer 10, 11, 12, Treas. 10. Sec. 11, 12; National Honor Society 12; Hoosier Scholar; Prom Queen.
STEFFEN, AL: General. Track 10, 11, 12; Jazz Ensemble 10, 11.
STEFFEN, AMY: Business. OEA 12.
STIDHAM, KIM: Business. OEA 12; Y-Teens 10; Dabblers 11, 12; Spanish Club 10; GAA 10; Color Guard 11, 12; Cheerblock 10, 11, 12.
STINSON, JEFF: General. Basketball 10, 11, 12; Track 10, 11; Football 10, 11, 12, Capt. 12; Athletic Blanket Award; Hoosier Scholar; Prom Court.
STULTZ, NINA: General. GAA 10, 11, 12; Y-Teens 10, 12; FHA 12; Volleyball 10, 11, 12; Gymnastics 10, 11, 12; Cheerblock 12.

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